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OF THE

COUNTY OF GRAFTON

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Treasurer, Auditors, Superintendent, Jailer,
Clerk of Court, Attorney, Sheriff,
Chaplain, Physician and
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GRAFTON COUNTY OFFICERS

Commissioners

Kenneth G. Bell	Plymouth
George F. Clement	Landaff
Bert P. Shores	Lebanon

Treasurer

Willard G. Bromage, Jr.	Littleton

County Attorney

N. George Papademas	Lebanon

Sheriff

Herbert W. Ash	Campton

Jailer

Dana Tyler, Acting Jailer to Nov. 17	Haverhill
William Siegmund-Nov. 17 to Dec. 31	Woodsville

Clerk of Court

William E. Lovejoy	Lebanon

Judge of Probate

Robert A. Jones	Lebanon

Register of Probate

Anna D. Proctor	Woodsville

Register of Deeds

Charles A. Wood	Woodsville

County Almshouse and House of Correction

Rita L. Little, Acting Supt. to Nov. 17	North Haverhill
William Siegmund-Nov. 17 to Dec. 31	Woodsville

Chaplains

Rev. M. T. Milbury	Woodsville
Rev. Edward Zalewski	Woodsville

Physicians

C. D. Eastman, M.D., Medical Director	Woodsville
H. M. Rowe, M.D., Assoc. Physician	Wells River
Paul M. Choate, Assoc. Physician	Monroe

Auditors

George H. Richardson	Littleton
Floyd D. Chase, Jr.	Woodsville

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION 1969–1970

Dist. No. 1	Van H. Gardner		Littleton
	Marcia T. Rich		Littleton
	John H. Tilton		Littleton
	Malcolm J. Stevenson		Bethlehem
Dist. No. 2	Wayne G. Higgins		Woodstock
Dist. No. 3	Edna B. McGee		Lincoln
Dist. No. 4	George Brummer		Lisbon
Dist. No. 5	Nelson H. Chamberlin		Bath
Dist. No. 6	Phil A. Bennett		Haverhill
	Norman A. McMeekin		Haverhill
Dist. No. 7	Fayne E. Anderson		Warren
Dist. No. 8	Hazel I. Park		Lyme
Dist. No. 9	John C. Cone		Hanover
	David C. Nutt		Hanover
	Laurence I. Radway		Hanover
Dist. No. 10	Manson B. Smith		Hebron
Dist. No. 11	Robert G. Dow	Ward 1	Lebanon
	Carl P. Foster	Ward 1	Lebanon
Dist. No. 12	Roger M. Duhaime	Ward 2	Lebanon
	Wilfred J. Tremblay	Ward 2	Lebanon
Dist. No. 13	Shirley K. Merrill	Ward 3	Lebanon
	Frances B. Dudley	Ward 3	Lebanon
Dist. No. 14	Norman H. Ellms		Canaan
Dist. No. 15	Arthur W. Blain		Enfield
Dist. No. 16	Ernest C. Hopkins		Bristol
Dist. No. 17	Harold V. Buckman		Ashland
Dist. No. 18	Kenneth G. Bell		Plymouth
	Madison W. Sears		Plymouth
Dist. No. 19	Herbert H. Karsten		Holderness
	Lester E. Mitchell to Dec. 9		Campton
	Richard Bradley-Dec. 9 to 31		Thornton

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

Date: Wednesday, January 8, 1969
Time: Immediately following adjournment
Room: 104 Annex

Norman A. McMeekin opened the meeting as a self appointed chairman. He was then elected temporary chairman so that an executive committee could be nominated and elected.

The following were elected: Phil A. Bennett, Chairman; Shirley K. Merrill, Vice-Chairman; Edna B. McGee, Clerk.

Frances B. Dudley was appointed temporary clerk in the absence of Edna B. McGee.

The Clerk called the roll: present, Gardner, Rich, Stevenson, Tilton, Higgins, Brummer, Chamberlain, Bennett, McMeekin, Anderson, Park, Radway, Smith, Dow, Foster, Trembly, Dudley, Merrill, Ellms, Hopkins, Bell, Sears, Karsten, Mitchell. (24 present) Absent: McGee, Cone, Johnson, Duhaime, Blain, Buckman. (6 absent)

Chairman Bennett introduced the former chairman – now Governor's Councilor Stephen W. Smith who gave a resume of projects which had been worked on for the past two years. He thanked the members of the former Grafton County Delegation and recommended that county government be continued.

Councilor Smith then gave a report of his committee on the hiring of consultants to make a study on building a new county courthouse. He left an outline of the report from E. Verne Johnson, Robert W. Hotvedt and Associates, Inc., Boston, Mass. with the Chairman.

The following were elected to serve as delegates on the Executive Committee: Gardner, McMeekin, Sears, Tilton, Duhaime.

The above, together with the officers previously elected will serve as the Executive Committee.

Mr. Bell, County Commissioner, talked about the new courthouse building and the financing. Discussion

followed.

Vice-Chairman Merrill moved to accept the committee report regarding the courthouse and implement the payment of $3000.00 for the consultants to make the study as outlined. Seconded.

Mr. Stevenson offered an amendment to get an appraisal on the Plymouth and Woodsville courthouses. Seconded. After discussion, Mr. Stevenson withdrew his amendment.

The original motion was passed unanimously.

Mr. Stevenson moved to have the Plymouth and Woodsville courthouses appraised. Seconded and unanimously carried.

The question arose whether it was legal to take $3000.00 for the study from surplus.

Mr. McMeekin suggested consultation with the County Attorney to see if the delegation may pay the consultants fee.

Mr. McMeekin and Mrs. Merrill asked for a straw vote on House Bill 63. It was favorable.

Meeting adjourned at 3:05 P.M.

Submitted by:

FRANCES B. DUDLEY,
Temporary Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

Executive Session

Date: Tuesday, January 28, 1969
Room: 100 State House

Chairman Bennett called the roll: Those Present: McMeekin, Merrill, Stevenson, Tilton, Gardner, Bennett, Duhaime, Bell, Parks, Anderson, Trembly, Dow.

OBJECT: To elect a Clerk.

Rep. Gardner nominated Madison Sears, and it was seconded by Rep. Merrill.

Rep. Stevenson moved Chairman cast one ballot for Madison Sears for Clerk; voted unanimously.

Rep. Anderson moved to adjourn.

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

Executive Session

Date: Wednesday, February 5, 1969
Time: 12:25
Room: 100 State House

The meeting was opened by Chairman Bennett.

The Clerk called the roll: Those present were: Gardner, Rich, Stevenson, Higgins, Brummer, Chamberlain, Bennett, McMeekin, Anderson, Parks, Radway, Smith, Dow, Foster, Trembly, Dudley, Merrill, Hopkins, Bell, Sears, Karsten, Mitchell, Duhaime, Blain, Johnson. Those absent: McGee, Cone, Buckman, Tilton, Ellms.

Rep. Radway spoke in favor for Lebanon Court.

Rep. Johnson said Haverhill Court was second choice of all lawyers, but it was a good choice.

Rep. Merrill questioned Johnson on Plymouth Court.

Rep. Gardner questioned the cost of transporting prisoners.

Rep. Rich asked if this was a delay until new courthouse.

Rep. Brummer questioned on cases before court.

Rep. McMeekin questioned on Jury Cases and Probate Court.

Rep. Johnson said he had no objection to Probate Court in Woodsville.

Rep. Bell questioned Mr. Johnson on power to try court cases, and said Lebanon Court was a poor courthouse.

Rep. Radway wanted an amendment but one wasn't prepared.

Rep. Stevenson spoke in favor of proposed amendment.

Rep. Brummer spoke against amendment.

Rep. Merrill questioned Mr. Brummer on building new courthouse.

Rep. Bell spoke in favor of one courthouse.

Rep. Dudley questioned if appraisal of Plymouth and Lebanon Courthouses had been done.

Rep. Bell said Tax Commission would do it.

Rep. Dudley opposed to closing Lebanon Court.

Rep. Blain spoke against it also.

Rep. Sears thought the town of Plymouth would buy Plymouth Courthouse.

Rep. Johnson proposed an amendment.

Rep. Radway seconded the motion.

The 1954 County Delegation voted to build a new courthouse in Haverhill. Rep. McMeekin said Mr. Jones, Past President of Grafton County Bar Association, favored Haverhill to build courthouse. Then he spoke against the amendment.

Rep. Johnson defended position on Lebanon Court.

Rep. Merrill wants very strongly new courthouse and would accept amendment.

Rep. Brummer questioned "terms of court".

Chairman Bennett called for the show of hands: 13 for and 9 opposed. Amendment was passed.

Rep. Stevenson moved House Bill # 63 out of delegation, ought to pass as amended.

Rep. Dow seconded the motion.

Chairman Bennett called for the show of hands: 19 for and 2 opposed.

Rep. McMeekin asked for sentiments of Delegation: Unanimous favoring building new courthouse.

Rep. Higgins questioned the financial situation.

Rep. Bell said that the county has to pay $110,000 for interest alone.

Rep. Brummer questioned Mr. Bell on cost of new courthouse to county per year taxwise.

Rep. Bell said, $90,000 or more.

Chairman Bennett closed meeting at 1:30.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

Executive Session

Date: February 24, 1969
Woodsville Court House
Time: 11:00

Executive Committee

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order. Those Present: Gardner, Tilton, McGee, Bennett, McMeekin, Duhaime, Merrill, Sears.

Chairman Bennett asked to have County Commissioners present budget.

Commissioner Bell explained budget.

Chairman Bennett asked if $26,000 increase in income reflected to new hospital.

Commissioner Bell said yes. It is expected to occupy hospital the last three months of '69.

County Home Budget increase from $365,000 to $450,000.

Talked over commissioners salaries.

Rep. McMeekin said SB # 21 List Salary of all county officers.

Executive Committee tentatively accepted budget until public hearing.

Session adjourned at 12:00.

Afternoon Session 1 P.M.

Commissioner Bell stated new hospital progressing on schedule.

County expecting Federal money (not known how much or how soon).

No reply as yet from architect.

County takes over Clough's red barn on April 1, 1969.

County Commissioners asked for new station wagon.

Rep. Merrill moves Executive Committee go on record as favoring new station wagon. Seconded by Van Gardner;

voted by committee yes by show of hands.

Meeting closed at 1:15.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

Woodsville Courthouse
March 3, 1969

Public Hearing on County Budget

Chairman Bennett opened hearing at two o'clock.

Those present: Comm. Bell, and Comm. Clement, Reps. Sears, Buckman, McMeekin, Supt. of County Home, Harold Brown, County Extension Service Agent, Richard Rutherford, Sheriff Ash, Reg. of Deeds, Charles Wood, Reg. of Probate,,Anna Proctor, and County Treas. William Bromage.

Commissioner Bell explains budget.

Richard Rutherford explained his budget. He says they have got $2,000 for development agent for six months; $4,000 for the year if House Bill # 11 passes.

Sheriff Ash explains; expects some income from radio setup. License to operate is already received.

William Clark, Chairman of the Extension Council, asked Delegation to accept budget.

Hearing closed at 2:27 P.M.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

March 5, 1969
Rm. 119 State House
1:15 P.M.

Delegation Hearing on House Bill # 361

Those present: Gardner, Rich, Tilton, McGee, Brummer, Bennett, Anderson, Smith, Dow, Foster, Merrill,

Ellms, Hopkins, Sears, Mitchell, McMeekin.

Rep. McMeekin offered amendment changing affective date from 1972 to 1970. House Bill # 361, changing term of office from every two years to four years for Registrar of Deeds, and Registrar of Probate.

Rep. Gardner says some newspapers are against four year term.

Rep. McMeekin says, "who's legislating"?

Rep. Brummer spoke against four year term of office; feels they should run every two years the same as other county offices.

Rep. Rich says if an encumbant, new persons would have to start green.

Rep. Merrill moved to hold Executive Session at 9:00 A.M. on March 13, 1969 in Rm. 100; seconded by Sears. Motion accepted by show of hands.

Rep. Mitchell moved to adjourn; seconded by Chairman Bennett.

Hearing closed at 1:30 P.M.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

EXECUTIVE SESSION

State House Rm. 100
March 13, 1969
9:00 A.M.

Hearing on House Bill # 361

Chairman Bennett in the Chair.

Rep. McMeekin explained Bill changing term of office for Reg. of Deed and Reg. of Probate from present two years to four.

Rep. Gardner questioned if more would run for office on the two year basis.

Rep. McMeekin said "no".

Rep. Brummer stated the continuity of office under

present two year term.

Rep. McMeekin stated that in his mind, four year term would have no effect on continuity.

Rep. Stevenson said House Bill # 361 would set precedent for other candidates; moved House Bill # 361 be reported as inexpedient. Rep. Smith seconded the motion.

Chairman Bennett called for the show of hands; 13 for and 5 against.

Hearing closed at 9:15.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

March 19, 1969
State House Rm. 100

Hearing and Executive Session on House Bill # 479

Chairman Bennett presiding. Those present: Gardner, Stevenson, Tilton, Higgins, McGee, Brummer, Chamberlain, Bennett, McMeekin, Anderson, Smith, Dow, Foster, Duhaime, Merrill, Ellms, Hopkins, Buckman, Sears, Karsten, Mitchell.

House Bill # 479; increasing County Commissioners salary to $2500.00.

Rep. McMeekin explained he introduced Bill on behalf of Comm. Shores.

Rep. Gardner moved the House Bill # 479 ought to pass; seconded by Rep. Duhaime; motion carried.

Hearing closed.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Chairman Bennett brought up House Bill #479, ought to pass.

Rep. Smith wishes to amend House Bill # 479 as to take effect on date passed.

Rep. Dow seconded motion; motion lost 16 to 5. Original Bill passed unanimously.

Hearing closed at 9:45.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

County Home Woodsville
March 24, 1969
1:30 P.M.

Chairman Bennett presiding. Delegates present: Gardner, Rich, Tilton, Higgins, McGee, Brummer, Chamberlain, Bennett, McMeekin, Johnson, Smith, Dow, Duhaime, Merrill, Ellms, Hopkins, Buckman, Sears, Karsten, Mitchell; Commissioners, Bell, Shores, and Clement.

Chairman Bennett asked for explanation of County Budget.

Comm. Bell, Chairman, explained Budget.

Reg. of Probate wants new book and parttime clerk: up $2,000.

County Home up $85,000. Added on new expense of new hospital.

Raised Food Item $10,000.

Water and lights $1600.

Fuel $4500.

New help for addition $41,000.

Raised employees $15,000.

Total $72,000.00.

Estimated income of $260,000.00.

County Extension Service up $4500.

Depends on House Bill # 11.

Rep. Ellms made a public comment that if House Bill # 11 does not pass, local tax will have to bear the cost.

Rep. Brummer questions Soldiers Aid; if $20,000

figure is realistic.

Comm. Bell stated; One guess is as good as another.

Chairman Bennett asked Delegation to wait for Richard Rutherford, County Extension Service Agent, to explain his budget.

Comm. Shores asked for a sum of money to celebrate County's 200th Anniversary.

Rep. Brummer backs the idea of a special observation for 200th Ann.

Comm. Shores requested $500.00 for such an event.

Rep. Merrill moved Delegation vote for a sum of $500.00 for celebration.

Rep. McMeekin asked for a new item be made for $500.00 for bi-centennial.

Rep. Merrill withdraws motion; made new motion for a special item.

Rep. Chamberlain seconded.

Moved by show of hands.

Motion adopted to raise $500.00 for bi-centennial celebration.

Comm. Clement introduced Harold Brown, new Superintendent of County Home.

Councilor Smith of Plymouth reviewed the past year as to new courthouse. 1968 Delegation set up courthouse committee to study the situation.

Dec. 1968, Committee voted to recommend to Delegation the firm of E. Verner Johnson, Hotvedt, and Associates, Inc., architects, which presented a Statement of Needs for a new Grafton County Courthouse.

Rep. Merrill asked Councilor Smith on courthouse committee.

Councilor Smith referred question to E. Verner Johnson. Mr. Johnson gave a resume of projects that they are now involved in. Mr. Johnson met with Building Committee and came up with present recommendations.

Rep. Merrill asked Mr. Johnson on percentage of architects fee.

Mr. Johnson said 7.5% of total fee items ($24,000 part of basic fee). The lawyer's fees are not nor the

building site figured in.

Rep. Merrill stated that out of state architects use out of state materials. Wished to have architects use N.H. materials.

Rep. Ellms stated that N.H. roads are not as good as pictured.

Rep. Chamberlain asked if we could not use Grafton County soil conditions test instead of hiring for test borings.

Rep. Brummer asked if more than one site available. Also, if courthouse cost less would architects fee be less.

Mr. Johnson stated yes.

Rep. Hopkins asked if was policy of E. Verner Johnson and Associates to use local materials.

Mr. Johnson stated so far as possible, yes.

Rep. Higgins asked if architects specify to contractors certain materials.

Mr. Johnson stated yes.

Rep. Brummer asked if basically would this reflect on contract.

Mr. Johnson stated that as long as contractor stays within price range, architects can favor one brick over another.

Rep. McMeekin asked if cafeteria is necessary.

Rep. Johnson felt there was a need for cafeteria.

Sheriff Ash stated no existing facilities for feeding jurors.

Councilor Smith stated cafeteria would help isolate jurors.

Rep. Merrill asked if new courthouse could be started sooner.

Mr. Johnson said yes, but would be costly.

Rep. Wm. Johnson what phase of the plans was, and Mr. Johnson stated it could be a model plan.

Rep. Merrill moved that the Grafton County commissioners borrow $35,000.00 in short term notes for planning and specifications as called for in Johnson, Hotvedt, and Assoc., Inc. Statement of Needs as stated on page 51.

Rep. Wm. Johnson seconded. Unanimous vote.

Delegation gave round of applause for Commissioners for job well done.

Chairman Bennett recessed session for brief period.

Hearing reopened at 2:30.

Richard Rutherford explains budget.

County Extension Service explains House Bill #11. Asked state to put in state's share of money as per 1958 law.

If House Bill #11 does pay, County Extension Service Budget could reduce $1,750.00. The budget is $37,000. Coos County had a county agent who left Grafton County and Coos County to share one man for redevelopment resource projects. $4,000 for each county.

Rep. Brummer moved that Delegation raise and appropriate $654,887.78 to be raised by taxes. Seconded by Rep. Johnson.

Rep. Merrill asked to amend budget by adding $3,500.00 for station-wagon for County Home.

Rep. Gardner seconded.

Unanimously voted. Original motion unanimously voted to raise by taxes $658,368.78. Total $1,044, 376.70. Unanimously voted.

Rep. Merrill moved to adjourn. Seconded by Rep. Higgins. Moved by voice vote. Hearing closed at 3:30.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

May 12, 1969
10:00 A.M.
Woodsville County Commissioner's Office

Executive Session

Those present: Bennett, Duhaime, McMeekin, Gardner, McGee, Tilton, Sears, Merrill. Commissioners Shores, Bell, and Clement.

Chairman Bennett presiding.

Comm. Bell wishes for the county to borrow the sum of $200,000.00 on short term notes as an expedient measure to speed up construction of new County Nursing Home.

Moved by Rep. Merrill; seconded by Van Gardner that the Delegation Exec. Committee authorize the County Commissioners to borrow $200,000.00. County gets 5.24 interest and can borrow for 4.75.

Moved by show of hands unanimously.

County Commissioners still discussing with the Reed for trade of lands. Executive Committee will view the site and decide if trade is in order before dinner at County Home.

At the suggestion of Rep. Merrill, recessed at 10:55.

Reopened at 1:00

Executive Committee having viewed the site of Reed land moved unanimously to give Commissioners full authority to negotiate best trade using their own discretion.

Executive Committee gave Commissioners applause for work well done.

Adjourned at 1:15.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

State House
Room 120
June 5, 1969

Hearing on House Bill #479

Present: Reps. Smith, Brummer, Buckman, Dow, Dudley, McGee, Merrill, Karsten, McMeekin, Hopkins,

Chamberlain, Higgins, Tilton, Bennett, Sears, and Radway.

Chairman Bennett presiding.

Rep. McMeekin explained Senate Amendment to H. B. #479.

Rep. Smith questioned salary retroactive to January 1, 1969.

Rep. McMeekin said Delegation gave County Commissioners raise.

Rep. Higgins questioned why Senate took the route they did.

Rep. Brummer explained that County Delegation gave the raise, so Senate gave the authority so that Delegation could authorize raise.

Rep. McMeekin spoke in favor of Amendment. He stated that the County Delegation does set salary when it raises appropriations.

Rep. Tilton moves Delegation adopt Amendment in principle by the Senate. Seconded by Chamberlain. Motion approved by a show of hands.

Rep. Dudley asked if this is the Counties' trend.

Rep. Tilton replied yes.

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 A.M.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

State House
Room—Fish & Game
Time—10:00 A.M.
June 17, 1969

Executive Session

Present: Bennett, Duhaime, Gardner, Tilton, and McMeekin.

Chairman Bennett presiding.

Rep. Duhaime moved that the Amendment on H.B. #479 as reported by Rep. McMeekin, as a member of a Committee of Conference regarding "setting salaries of county officers", be approved.

Seconded by Rep. Gardner, and so voted.

Session adjourned 10:15.

10:15
June 17, 1969

Convention of Delegates

Seventeen members present.

Reps. Brummer & Tilton presented a further amendment to adopt an amount of $15.00 per diem while in Convention, except for those meetings occurring in Concord while the General Court is in session. Effective January 1, 1970.

Moved by Brummer and seconded by Tilton to include Amendment in H.B. #479, and so voted.

Adjourned at 10:30.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

State House
Wild Life Room
June 25, 1969

Committee of Conference on H.B. #479

Present: Anderson, Bell, Karsten, Tilton, Gardner, Sears, Bennett, Blain, Merrill, Duhaime, Chamberlain, Nutt, Buckman, Radway, Hopkins, Dow, Higgins, Park, Rich, Smith, Foster and Tremblay.

Rep. McMeekin stated Committee of Conference on H.B. #479 met and concurred with Senate on Amendment proposed by the Senate in House Journal on page 3231; read Amendment in full.

Tilton questioned if law should be in effect before voting.

McMeekin stated this was already a law if signed by Governor.

Rep. Radway moved Delegation approve Committee of Conference action on H.B. #479.

Seconded by Merrill. Moved by show of hands.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY DELEGATION

August 11, 1969
Woodsville Courthouse
County Commissioners' Office

Executive Committee

Present: Bennett, Merrill, Duhaime, McMeekin, Bell, Gardner, Sears, and McGee. Commissioners Bell, Shores, and Clement.

Chairman Bennett presiding.

Executive Committee approved comparative statement of commissioners for six months period.

Comm. Bell explained that the State Tax Commission will be 6 to 8 weeks late in setting County tax rate so County will have to borrow money.

Rep. Merrill moved Commissioners borrow $200,000 on short term notes.

Seconded by Van Gardner. Moved unanimously by show of hands.

Rep. Merrill moved that the County Delegation meet and authorize a sum of money so that the commissioners can offer cash for Reed land, as the Reed's are unreasonable in their demands for a trade of lands.

Seconded by Sears. Moved unanimously.

Rep. McMeekin moved Chairman call County Delegation meeting 10:30 A.M. on August 21, 1969.

Seconded by Merrill. Moved unanimously.

Comm. Shores reminded Exec. Comm. of Bi-Centennial celebration at Woodsville Oct. 4, 1969.

Van Gardner moved to adjourn; seconded by McGee. Moved unanimously.

Adjourned at 11:30 A.M.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

Also today, the Executive Committee visited new hospital building to see what progress was being made. The Committee was very favorably impressed by layout of new structure.

GRAFTON COUNTY CONVENTION

Woodsville Courthouse
August 28, 1969
10:50 A.M.

Chairman Bennett presiding. Roll call was made and a quorum not being present we continued with an informal meeting. Members that were present: Bennett, Chamberlain, Duhaime, Brummer, McMeekin, Bell, Dudley, Parks, M. Smith, Mitchell, Gardner, McGee, and Sears. Commissioners Bell, Shores, and Clement.

Comm. Bell explained commissioners unable to come to a trade with the Reeds. He wants Delegation to authorize commissioners to take Reed lands by eminent domain.

Comm. Bell stated county got $96,000.00 from Hill-Burton Fund, and anticipated another for same amount, and also another for a lesser amount.

Comm. Clement stated commissioners want to get rid of old red silo, which is an eye sore, next to courthouse land. Also, county definitely needs Reed land.

Rep. Smith questioned popularity of eminent domain.

County Attorney Papademas stated that the building

of new courthouse is public knowledge, and that the Reeds know this. If we are to build a new courthouse we will need Reed land to have an appropriate site.

Rep. Brummer believes Commissioners have authority if petitioned by one member of Delegation to buy Reed land.

Atty. Papademas believes not. He reads "R.S.A. 26 and R.S.A. 234" which states that any purchase has to be authorized by County Convention.

Rep. Dudley states that land purchase should not be in Bond Issue.

Atty. Papademas states that bonding company very particular in all proceedings.

Chairman Bennett states County Convention authorized Commissioners to trade land, but did not authorize them to **buy** land.

Atty. Papademas says Comm. make offer, and if refused by Reeds, money is then deposited with Superior Court and land automatically belongs to County. Superior Court has it appraised by an impartial, competent appraiser and sets judgement.

Rep. Dudley asked if County will have a surplus. Comm. Bell states yes as County got $96,000.00 that they did not anticipate as previously mentioned.

Comm. Clement wants land across road from county property appraised and that county sell land not needed.

Atty. Papademas states meeting not legal as no quorum present so Chairman Bennett had convention call another meeting to be held Monday, Sept. 8, 1969.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY CONVENTION

Courthouse, Woodsville
September 8, 1969

Chairman Bennett presiding. Delegates present: Trem-

blay, Dow, Merrill, Park, Dudley, Karsten, Mitchell, McMeekin, Buckman, Higgins, Duhaime, Foster, Hopkins, Smith, Tilton, Chamberlain, Stevenson, Rich, Van Gardner, Ellms, Radway, Nutt, Brummer, Anderson, McGee, Bell, and Sears.

Comm. Bell states that the situation is that the commissioners cannot trade lands with the Reeds, and wishes authority to take property by eminent domain. Stated Building Committee met and architects plan already includes some of Reed land.

Rep. Dudley inquired if the Reeds had set a price.

Comm. Bell states no.

Rep. Van Gardner states that it was the consensus of Exe. Comm. to acquire Reed land.

Chairman Bennett states that the procedure is to make an offer for the land, if offer refused, money is to be deposited with Superior Court.

County Attorney Papademas states when County Convention authorizes county commissioners to take land by eminent domain, commissioners must make a cash offer; if accepted, okay. If refused, money is deposited with clerk of Superior Court and county takes immediate possession. Also states, if authority given, commissioners will have a tool with which to acquire the Reed land.

Rep. Merrill questioned if courts would set more than a $1,000.00 an acre value.

County Atty. Papademas states county would have to pay whatever court set as value. Also stated, appraisal part of eminent domain.

Rep. Chamberlain states not only land of Reeds, but ground silo, and old barn.

Rep. Stevenson moves County Convention authorize commissioners to buy Reed land.

Rep. Brummer seconded.

Discussion:

Comm. Bell says commissioners just want authority to buy land; no money.

Rep. Van Gardner says pay up to $1,000.00 an acre.

Rep. Hopkins asked value of land that commissioners

were willing to trade.

Chairman Bennett states commissioners had not set a sum of money as value of land.

Rep. Chamberlain said meadow land worth more than Reed land.

Chairman Bennett states eminent domain proceedings must come first before appraisal of land.

Rep. Smith says that an appraisal must and will be made after eminent domain proceedings.

Atty. Papademas states that correct reading is for the County Convention to authorize the county commissioners to buy or take Reed land and buildings thereon for the amount of land needed for courthouse project; sum of money not exceed $12,000.00.

Rep. Stevenson moves the previous statement.

Rep. Brummer seconded. Unanimous vote by show of hands.

Rep. McMeekin states commissioners to be guided by the architects scheme of courthouse plans; plans show for the necessity of taking Reed's land.

Chairman Bennett states both commissioners and building committee have architects plan for courthouse needs, and have approved it.

Rep. Higgins moves Convention revoke authority given county commissioners to trade for Reed land. Seconded by Rep. Brummer.

Rep. McMeekin opposed motion.

Rep. Buckman says keep meadow land.

Rep. Chamberlain wishes to find out how Comm. Clement feels towards issue.

Comm. Clement states emphatically that Reeds will not trade.

Higgins motion moved by show of hands. McGee, McMeekin, Mitchell, and Sears opposed.

Comm. Clement says 700 copies of Grafton County Bi-Centennial booklets ordered to sell for $1.00 a piece. Also, said dedication of new hospital and wing on October 11, 1969, speakers beginning at 1:00 o'clock sharp.

County Atty. Papademas says county attorney should

devote 50% of his time to his office. States drug problem growing by leaps and bounds; simply fantastic. States police officers not experienced enough to handle cases legally. County attorneys should teach police officers in legal procedures. Also suggests county will have to go to a full time attorney in steps, eventually $18,000 a year for attorney.

Rep. Brummer moved to adjourn. Seconded by Merrill.

Adjourned at 11:50.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY CONVENTION

Woodsville, N. H.
November 24, 1969
Courtroom 1:30 P.M.

Chairman Phil A. Bennett presiding; 24 members present. Chairman Bennett declared a quorum present.

Article I: Shall a Courthouse Building be constructed which also includes facilities for the Register of Deeds and facilities for the Register of Probate in the Town of Haverhill.

Rep. Merrill moves courthouse be constructed.

Rep. Ellms seconded motion.

Rep. McMeekin says County Convention met in 1954 and appointed building committee August 16, 1954.

McMeekin states elected representatives are legally bound.

Rep. Rich says residents opposed to amount of money.

Rep. Merrill hopes convention will vote to approve courthouse.

Rep. Stevenson says he doesn't feel majority of residents opposed.

Rep. Tilton wants to know cost of maintenance; no

figures available.

Motion carried – 22 yes and 2 no.

Article II: Shall the County take or buy additional land for the purpose of building the Courthouse above stated.

Rep. McMeekin moves the County buy additional land.

Rep. Sears seconded.

Rep. Ellms asked why vote necessary.

Bennett said Convention set top figure of $12,000.00 on Sept. 8, 1969.

Rep. Brummer moves amendment to raise $32,500.00.

Rep. Merrill seconded.

Rep. Brummer doesn't wish to throw County money away. $32,500 only about 1% of total cost; don't waste anymore time, build courthouse.

Rep. Stevenson says subverting interest of residents but says wants courthouse to be built.

Rep. McMeekin says very short sighted to save $20,000 and spend $100,000.

Rep. Brummer moves additional amendment to Rep. McMeekin's motion to raise the sum of $32,500.00 for the purpose of Art. II, sum not to exceed the amount of $32,500.00.

Rep. Merrill seconded the amendment.

Rep. McMeekin's motion passed 17 yes and 6 no.

Rep. McMeekin moves County Convention reconsider the action taken on Art. II on Sept. 8 meeting.

Rep. Merrill seconded. Moved unanimously.

Article III: Shall serial bonds or notes not exceeding One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (1,800,000.00) be issued for the construction of Item 1, and for the purposes of equipment, furnishings and related facilities incidental thereto.

Rep. Merrill moves serial bonds or notes not exceeding One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars be issued for the construction of Item 1, and for the purposes of equipment, furnishings, and related facilities incidental thereto.

Rep. McGee seconded motion.

Rep. Foster questioned if bid over $1,800,000.00, would convention have to come back.

Rep. Bennett replied yes.

Motion carried 18 yes and 4 no.

Article IV: Shall the County Commissioners be authorized to issue or negotiate the bonds or notes as referred to in Item 3 and determine the rate of interest thereon and to do such other acts as may be necessary to effectuate the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as may be in the best interests of Grafton County and pass any vote relating thereto.

Rep. Ellms moves that the county commissioners are authorized to issue $1,800,000.00 bonds of the county under RSA 28 and the Municipal Finance Act to finance the construction and the original equipping and furnishing of a new county courthouse.

Rep. Buckman seconded the motion.

Motion carried 21 yes and 1 no.

Rep. Stevenson asked if courthouse at Plymouth had been appraised.

Rep. Bell says courthouse to be appraised December 3, 1969.

Rep. Merrill moves we adjourn.

Rep. Bell seconded.

Motion carries.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

Roll Call of Delegates November 24, 1969

	Art 1	Art 2	Art 3	Art 4
Van Gardner	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Marcia Rich	Yes	No	No	Yes
Malcolm Stevenson	Yes	No	No	Yes
John Tilton	No	No	No	No

Wayne Higgins	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Edna McGee	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
George Brummer	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Nelson Chamberlin	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Phil Bennett	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Norman McMeekin	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fayne Anderson	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Manson Smith	Yes	No		
Robert Dow	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Carl Foster	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Roger Duhaime	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Wilfred Tremblay				
Francis Dudley	Yes	No	No	Yes
Shirley Merrill	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Norman Ellms	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Ernest Hopkins	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Harold Buckman	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Kenneth Bell	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Madison Sears	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Herbert Karsten	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Lester Mitchell	No			

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY CONVENTION

Executive Session

Jury Room
December 22, 1969
10:45 A.M.

Vice-Chairman Shirley Merrill presiding. Members present: McMeekin, Van Gardner, Tilton, Duhaime, and Sears.

Commissioner Bell stated County Commissioners want to borrow $300,000.00 in anticipation of taxes.

Rep. McMeekin moves Commissioners be authorized to borrow $300,000.00 in anticipation of taxes.

Rep. Duhaime seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Shores gave itemized account of Fire Ins. on county properties. Total cost $4,100.00.

Rep. McMeekin moves meeting adjourn. Seconded by Tilton. Meeting adjourned at 11:05 A.M.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk

GRAFTON COUNTY CONVENTION

Courthouse, Woodsville, N. H.
Monday: December 22, 1969

Shirley Merrill presiding; six members present (Bell, Merrill, McMeekin, Duhaime, Tilton and Van Gardner). Two citizens, Kenneth Curan and Robert Baker of Littleton, present during public part of meeting.

Question Presented: The Grafton County Commissioners, having applied to the Executive Committee of the Grafton County Convention for permission to use any unexpended surplus and to borrow whatever money necessary for County Farm and Court expenses in addition to the amount appropriated in the 1969 budget, as an emergency payment, the Executive Committee of the Grafton County Convention will hold a Public Hearing on the request of the Commissioners at the Court House in Woodsville, N. H., at 10:00 A.M., Monday, December 22, 1969.

Bell: explained need of hearing, need authority to use surplus on hand and to borrow in anticipation of taxes. Have substantial amount on hand, but need authority to use it; new bookkeeping system requires paying all December bills in December with no carry over to January as present system; thus 13 months bills to be paid in one year.

Tilton: How much to borrow from surplus? Additional for extra months payments?

Bell: Approximately $50,000 over and above budget.

Tilton: Not running over operating budget as a whole at present time.

Bell: A little.

Merrill: A public hearing; anyone to speak as public?

Kenneth Curran, Littleton: Three things to mention: One past - hospital job; 2nd - Court House as future; and 3rd - this front page (budget).

Merrill: This hearing on borrowing of money - you wish to divert?

Curran: Not in one case. Hospital - Hill-Burton money - when it first became known?

Bell: In beginning not known; said none available for three years; so authorized borrowing whole amount. Started construction in September; in Dec. State checked everything - figured spent and on hand, and took from there on for percentage. Could not allow on previous spent.

Clement: Changes to comply figured possibly roughly at $8,000.

Curran: Last subject - Court House - a total four million dollar project. Wanted delay to get more information. As contractor, know delay would not cost that much, and might be quite a saving. As tax payer, object to amount for 3 acres of land; design very expensive; total cost four million principle and interest. Realize need for storage, archives; but this is too much debt for too few tax payers.

Merrill: This is out of order as far as this meeting concerned, but allowed you to express your feelings.

Tilton: Emergency payment of how much?

Shores, Clement & Smith (Bookkeeper): Needed for new bookkeeping system; explained and discussed; new system requires cost accounting (cash basis from month to month with no carry over); to do this, and start the new system off right as of the new year, need to pay up all current bills, meaning paying 13 months bills this year, not budgeted for.

M. Sears arrived.

McMeekin: No authority needed if not over 10% of

total budget. Motion to authorize paying December bills in the month of December within the present 1969 budget - not to go over 10% of the total budget.

Van Gardner: Seconded.

Merrill: Discussion? (None)

Questions? (None)

All in favor? - (all indicated so)

Opposed? - (None)

Merrill: To borrow in anticipation of taxes will be taken up in Executive Session of this meeting. Anything on the budget?

Curran: Thanks for clarifications of overages caused by Dartmouth incident. Bail forfeiture represents small income. Cost high, but explanations clarify.

Merrill: Public Hearing declared closed at 10:45 A.M.

MADISON SEARS, Clerk
Grafton County Convention

Recorded by E. Smith, Bookkeeper
Grafton County Commissioners Office

BUDGET OF GRAFTON COUNTY

SOURCE OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Year 1969
CURRENT REVENUE:	
Income from Institutions	
(a) County Home	$260,000.00
(b) Court Houses	600.00
Register of Deeds	37,000.00
Reimbursements of expenditures for support of poor, etc.	9,000.00
Surplus Foods	1,200.00
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE	
Interest on Cert. of Deposit	1,500.00
Cash on hand (Surplus)	76,707.92
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE	$386,007.92
PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	
General Government	
Salaries of	
(a) Commissioners	$ 7,500.00
(b) Treasurer	500.00
(c) Auditors	400.00
(d) Attorney	5,000.00
(e) Medical Referees	3,500.00
(f) Sheriff	9,500.00
Expenses of	
(a) Commissioners and Treasurer	1,500.00
(b) Register of Deeds	32,000.00
(c) Register of Probate	6,000.00
Care & supplies for Court Houses	12,500.00
Superior Court	
Jury Payrolls	24,000.00

State vs Payrolls	$ 1,300.00
Masters Fees	1,000.00
Stenographer-Attorney	12,000.00
Clerk of Superior Court	17,000.00
Sheriff and Deputies	32,000.00
Public Welfare	
County Home - Station Wagon	3,500.00
County Home	450,000.00
Support of poor off farm	35,000.00
Old Age Assistance	53,000.00
Board and care of children	90,000.00
Soldiers' Aid	20,000.00
Aid to Disabled	13,000.00
Welfare Administration	20,000.00
Interest	
Serial Notes - Clough Property	1,933.70
On temporary loans	7,500.00
On Bonds (Hospital)	40,375.00
On Serial Notes - House of Correction	2,268.00
Outlay, New Construction & Equipment	
Court House - New - (Architect)	3,000.00
Court Houses - Old	3,500.00
Indebtedness	
Serial Note - Clough Property	9,100.00
Bonds - Hospital	45,000.00
Serial Notes - House of Correction	7,000.00
All other payments	
Cooperative Extension Service	39,000.00
Surplus Foods	2,000.00
Workmen's Compensation	6,000.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Sec.	18,500.00
Employees' Hospitalization	5,500.00
Delegation Expense	1,000.00
Bicentennial	500.00
Miscellaneous	2,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$1,044,376.70
Less Revenue and Cash on hand	386,007.92
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY COUNTY TAX	$ 658,368.78

REPORT OF GRAFTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of Grafton County:

As required by Statute, the Commissioners of Grafton County submit herewith the report of the various County Officials for the year ending December 31, 1969.

Grafton County celebrated its 200th Anniversary on October 11th with ceremonies dedicating the newly constructed 79-Bed Nursing Home-hospital wing. Festivities featured a buffet serving some 225 guests, honored by the presence of Governor Peterson and Senator Cotton. Mrs. Rita Little, our Acting Superintendent, was highly commended for her endless efforts during this period of construction, commendations, also, extended other staff and personnel for their assistance. The Woodsville High School Band provided music. Miss Gladys Whipple honored the County by writing a Grafton County History for the occasion. Conducted tours through the new wing concluded the day's festivities.

In November Mr. and Mrs. William Siegmund were hired to fill the positions of Superintendent and Matron and Mrs. Little as Administrator of the Nursing Home.

The budget for 1970 will show a sizeable increase for Old Age Assistance due to excessive medical costs. Direct relief cases remain about the same.

Surplus foods are still being distributed; more towns have been added during the year.

We wish to express our appreciation to our staff of employees, the County Delegation, the various town officials and State Welfare Department for their continued cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH G. BELL
GEORGE F. CLEMENT
BERT P. SHORES
Grafton County Commissioners

FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1969

ASSETS		
Cash on hand:		
Treasurer	$155,023.66	
Supt. of County Home	300.00	
		$155,323.66
Accounts due County:		
(a) Taxes due from towns	29,343.39	
(b) Accounts due County Home	17,597.06	
(c) Miscellaneous	905.82	
		47,846.27
TOTAL ASSETS		$203,169.93
LIABILITIES		
Accounts owed by County		
Serial Notes Outstanding –Jail	$ 49,000.00	
Serial Notes Outstanding –Clough Property	36,400.00	
Temporary Loan Outstanding –Court House	35,000.00	
Bonds Outstanding –Nursing Home	805,000.00	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$925,400.00
Escess of Liabilities over assets (Net Debt)		722,230.07
		$203,169.93

STATEMENT OF OUTSTANDING DEBT
December 31, 1969

Serial Notes issued for Improvements to
House of Correction

Showing Annual Maturities

1970–Note No. 4 Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon	$7,000.00
1971–Note No. 5 Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon	7,000.00
1972–Note No. 6 Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon	7,000.00
1973–Note No. 7 Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon	7,000.00
1974–Note No. 8 Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon	7,000.00
1975–Note No. 9 Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon	7,000.00
1976–Note No. 10 Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon	7,000.00

Principal payable December 1, annually.

Interest rate 4.05% payable semi-annually.

Serial Notes issued for Purchase
of Arthur Clough Property

1970–Note No. 2 Littleton National Bank	$9,100.00
1971–Note No. 3 Littleton National Bank	9,100.00
1972–Note No. 4 Littleton National Bank	9,100.00
1973–Note No. 5 Littleton National Bank	9,100.00

Interest rate 4.25% payable semi-annually

COUNTY OF GRAFTON

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

December 31, 1969

NURSING HOME BONDS

Total Issue: $850,000.00
(No. 1 to 850 for $1,000.00 each)
Interest rate 4¾%
Date of Issue: September 1, 1968

Principal Payments as follows:

September 1, 1969 to 1978	$45,000.00	
September 1, 1979 to 1988 inc.	40,000.00	
Principal due on bonds 12/31/68		$850,000.00
Amount paid on bonds 1969		45,000.00
Balance of Principal due on bonds 12/31/69		$805,000.00

Principal and Interest Payments to be made
to the National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.
Interest payable semi-annually –
March 1 and September 1

SCHEDULE OF COUNTY PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION:

Land and Buildings:		
(a)	Courthouses	$170,000.00
(b)	Jail	132,500.00
(c)	County Farm	411,000.00
(d)	Water System	30,000.00
(e)	Nursing Home	820,000.00
Furniture and Equipment:		
(a)	Courthouses	60,000.00
(b)	Jail	3,500.00
(c)	County Home	70,000.00
(d)	County Hospital	78,000.00
		$1,775,000.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENSES

	Appropriations	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
County Officers Salaries	$22,900.00	$22,900.00		
Medical Referees	3,500.00	2,928.35	$ 571.65	
County Officers Expenses	1,500.00	1,593.34		$ 93.34
Register of Deeds Expenses	32,000.00	30,785.47	1,214.53	
Register of Probate Expenses	6,000.00	3,925.36	2,074.64	
Care & supplies Courthouses	12,500.00	12,833.18		333.18
Jury Payrolls	24,000.00	15,779.67	8,220.33	
State vs. Payrolls	1,300.00	628.76	671.24	
Masters Fees	1,000.00	585.00	415.00	
Stenographer-Attorney	12,000.00	13,827.63		1,827.63
Clerk of Superior Court	17,000.00	15,320.84	1,679.16	
Sheriff & Deputies	32,000.00	44,652.03		12,652.03
County Home, Farm & Hospital	450,000.00	457,154.57		7,154.57
County Home, Station Wagon	3,500.00	2,908.36	591.64	
Support of poor off Farm	35,000.00	22,167.25	12,832.75	
Old Age Assistance	53,000.00	61,396.33		8,396.33
Board & care of children	90,000.00	96,040.20		6,040.20

Soldiers' Aid	20,000.00	12,272.71	7,727.29	
Aid to Disabled	13,000.00	6,345.21	6,654.79	
Welfare Administration	20,000.00	21,674.98		1,674.98
Interest	52,076.70	52,932.53		855.83
Principal-Indebtedness	61,100.00	61,100.00		
County Extension Service	39,000.00	39,000.00		
Retirement-Social Security	18,500.00	19,940.55		1,440.55
Improvements-Courthouses	3,500.00	1,329.19	2,170.81	
New Court House-Architect	3,000.00	2,895.67	104.33	
Surplus Foods	2,000.00	1,932.63	67.37	
Insurance-Workmen's Compensation	6,000.00	3,365.00	2,635.00	
Delegation Expense	1,000.00	1,067.95		67.95
Employees Hospitalization	5,500.00	4,507.65	992.35	
Bicentennial	500.00	1,487.53		987.53
Miscellaneous	2,000.00	1,309.70	690.30	
Sheriff's Radio System (1968)App.	13,500.00	11,940.00	1,560.00	
New Court House-Architect-non-budget	35,000.00	28,188.83	6,811.17	
Budget as voted	$1,044,376.70	$1,076,716.47	$57,684.35	$41,524.12
Additional Appropriation	48,500.00			
	$1,092,876.70			

FINANCIAL REPORT RECEIPTS AND

CURRENT REVENUE:	
Taxes from towns and cities	$629,025.29
Income from Institutions	
County Home	239,056.32
Income from Court Houses	810.00
Register of Deeds	42,395.62
Fines and forfeits, Superior Court	5,676.51
Reimbursements of expenditures for support of poor, etc.	
(a) From State of N.H.	1,872.59
(b) From other sources	9,150.01
Interest on Cert. of Deposits	1,045.03
Miscellaneous	325.40
	$929,356.77

(Receipts carried to page 44)

PAYMENTS FINANCIAL REPORT

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES
GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1. Salaries of		
(a) Commissioners	$ 7,500.00	
(b) Treasurer	500.00	
(c) Auditors	400.00	
(d) Attorney	5,000.00	
(e) Medical Referees	2,928.35	
(f) Sheriff	9,500.00	
		$ 25,828.35
2. Expenses of		
(a) Commissioners	1,298.20	
(b) Treasurer	295.14	
(c) Register of Deeds	30,785.47	
(d) Register of Probate	3,925.36	
		$ 36,304.17
3. Care and supplies of Court Houses		12,833.18

SUPERIOR COURT

4. Jury Payrolls	15,779.67	
5. State vs. Payrolls	628.76	
6. Masters fees	585.00	
7. Stenographer-Attorney	13,827.63	
8. Clerk of Superior Court	15,320.84	
9. Sheriff and Deputies	44,652.03	
		$ 90,793.93

PUBLIC WELFARE

10. County Home Expenditures	$457,154.57
11. County Home Station Wagon	2,908.36
12. Support of poor not at County Home	22,167.25
13. Old Age Assistance	61,396.33

(Payments carried to page 45)

FINANCIAL REPORT RECEIPTS AND

Total Receipts brought forward	$929,356.77
Receipts other than Current Revenue:	
Temporary loans during year	335,000.00
Register of Probate (State of N.H.)	2,700.00
Withdrawal from Capital Fund Account	174,475.44
Total Receipts from all sources	$1,441,532.21
Cash on hand at beginning of year	90,207.92
GRAND TOTAL	$1,531,740.13

PAYMENTS		FINANCIAL REPORT
14. Aid to Disabled	6,345.21	
15. Board & care of children	96,040.20	
16. Aid to Soldiers	12,272.71	
17. Welfare Administration	21,674.98	
		$679,959.61
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		845,719.24
INTEREST		
18. Paid on temporary loans	8,355.83	
19 Paid on Serial Notes	4,201.70	
20. Paid on Bonded Debt	40,375.00	
		52,932.53
INDEBTEDNESS		
21. Payment on Serial Notes	16,100.00	
22. Payment on temporary loans	300,000.00	
23. Payment on Bond	45,000.00	
		361,100.00
OUTLAY, NEW CONSTRUCTION		
24. Court Houses	32,413.69	
25. Radio System-Sheriff	11,940.00	
		44,353.69
ALL OTHER PAYMENTS		
26. County Extension Service		39,000.00
27. Retirement System		1,971.09
28. Social Security		17,969.46
29. Delegation Expense		1,067.95
30. Surplus Foods		1,932.63
31. Hospitalization (Employees)		4,507.65
32. Workmen's Compensation		3,365.00
33. Bicentennial		1,487.53
34. Miscellaneous		1,309.70
Total Payments for all purposes		$1,376,716.47
Cash on hand at end of year		155,023.66
GRAND TOTAL		$1,531,740.13

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS

Taxes from Towns

Alexandria	$ 4,878.51
Ashland	12,844.77
Bath	5,095.77
Benton	954.63
Bethlehem	15,366.33
Bridgewater	13,891.58
Bristol	27,690.99
Campton	15,563.84
Canaan	15,603.34
Dorchester	1,823.68
Easton	2,152.87
Ellsworth	434.52
Enfield	19,395.54
Franconia	15,326.83
Grafton	3,680.28
Groton	2,343.79
Hanover	97,682.19
Haverhill	20,646.44
Holderness	25,742.22
Landaff	3,015.33
Lebanon	88,418.94
Lisbon	9,717.52
Littleton	102,053.74
Lyman	2,198.95
Lyme	12,436.59
Monroe	20,014.41
Orange	967.80
Orford	8,295.45
Piermont	6,583.69
Plymouth	26,051.65

Rumney	7,781.92
Sugar Hill	9,065.74
Thornton	7,386.90
Warren	3,542.02
Waterville Valley	5,220.86
Wentworth	3,634.20
Woodstock	11,521.46

Total received in 1969	$629,025.29
Hebron taxes rec'd. 1/6/70	9,164.49
Lincoln taxes rec'd. 1/13/70	20,179.00
	$658.368.78

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS

Income of Institutions

Grafton County Home		
(See report of Supt. of County Home)		$239,056.32
Court Houses		
Town of Plymouth-rent	$ 650.00	
Town of Haverhill-rent	160.00	
		810.00
Fines and Forfeits, Superior Court		5,676.51
Register of Deeds		42,395.62
REIMBURSEMENTS		
State of New Hampshire		
Old Age Assistance		1,872.59
Other Sources:		
Boarded Children	$6,785.70	
Direct Relief	484.72	
Towns-Surplus Foods	1,879.59	
		9,150.01
Interest on Certificates of Deposit		1,045.03
State of N.H.—Register of Probate		2,700.00
Withdrawal from Capital Fund Account		174,475.44
Miscellaneous, insurance refunds, etc.		325.40

TEMPORARY LOANS DURING YEAR

Littleton National Bank, Littleton, N.H.		
Note No. 200, dated 3/10/69	$100,000.00	
Due 12/1/69, Int. rate 4.75		
Note No. 201, dated 5/12/69	200,000.00	
Due 12/1/69, Int. rate 4.40		
Note No. 202, dated 12/3/69	35,000.00	
Due 6/4/70, Int. rate 5.75		
		$335,000.00

DETAIL OF PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

Commissioners:		
Kenneth G. Bell	$2,500.00	
George F. Clement	2,500.00	
Bert P. Shores	2,500.00	
		$ 7,500.00
Treasurer:		
Willard G. Bromage, Jr.		500.00
Auditors:		
George F. Richardson	200.00	
Floyd D. Chase, Jr.	200.00	
		400.00
County Attorney:		
George N. Papademas		5,000.00
Medical Referees:		
Charles Althoff, M.D.	16.30	
John C. Bell, M.D.	5.00	
Hugh H. Bowers, M.D.	15.00	
Glenn Bricker, M.D.	50.00	
Thomas S. Brown, M.D.	15.00	
Paul Choate, M.D.	33.20	
Rex D. Couch, M.D.	200.00	
R. F. DeWitt, M.D.	342.20	
L. B. Copenhaver, M.D.	30.55	
I. A. Dinerman, M.D.	437.90	
Frank G. Dudley, M.D.	40.00	
John Greenan, M.D.	16.00	
E. B. McGregor, M.D.	164.20	
Frederick McIver, M.D.	34.00	
Norman McLetchie, M.D.	225.00	
James S. Phillips, M.D.	15.00	
William F. Putnam, M.D.	569.00	
Margaret Sullivan, M.D.	150.00	
Hitchcock Clinic, autopsies	515.00	

Pillsbury Funeral Home, service	35.00	
Sceva Speare Memorial Hospital, service	20.00	
		$ 2,928.35
Sheriff:		
Herbert W. Ash		9,500.00

EXPENSES OF COUNTY OFFICERS

Kenneth G. Bell, Commissioner	519.00	
George F. Clement, Commissioner	178.50	
Bert P. Shores, Commissioner	600.70	
		$ 1,298.20
Willard G. Bromage, Jr., Treasurer		295.14

REGISTER OF DEEDS
FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Receipts

Total Receipts	$ 42,395.62

Expenditures

Salary of Registrar & Clerical Hire	$22,836.29
Charles A. Wood, supplies, express, postage	369.45
Equity Publishing Co., statutes	25.00
Dearth Agency, insurance	227.21
Hall & McChesney, supplies	962.52
Harrison Insurance Agency, bonds	71.72
Itek Business Products, supplies	2,973.46
IBM Corp. equip. & repairs	525.16
Joseph Marotti, equip & supplies	550.04
A.E. Martell Co., supplies	456.92
David McAllister, supplies	4.75
N.E. Telephone, service	438.09
Northern Office Supply, equip.	105.00

Norton Envelope Co., supplies	$ 96.33	
Scruggs Hardware, supplies	2.25	
Tower Pub. Co., registers	51.35	
White River Paper Co., supplies	10.39	
Woodsville Post Office, envelopes	434.40	
Xerox Corp., service & supplies	645.14	
		$ 30,785.47
NET PROFIT		$ 11,610.15

REGISTER OF PROBATE

Anna D. Proctor, express & post.	160.10	
Burroughs Corp, supplies	16.80	
Glen Press, printing	126.00	
Hall & McChesney, supplies	157.71	
Harrison Insurance Agency, bonds	71.72	
IBM Corp., supplies	129.21	
Virginia Kidder, indexing	1,767.00	
Joseph Marotti, supplies	118.00	
N. E. Telephone, service	201.90	
Norcross Office Supply, typewriter	341.55	
Tower Pub. Co., registers	51.35	
White River Paper Co., supplies	12.13	
Woodsville, Post Office, envelopes	215.90	
Xerox Corp., service & supplies	555.99	
		$ 3,925.36

CARE & SUPPLIES OF COURT HOUSE

William Brill, snow removal	143.00
Chamberlin's Greenhouse, supplies	6.00
Marjorie Cronin, labor	1,230.60
Empire Jan'l. Sup. Co., supplies	38.69
First Nat'l. Store, supplies	49.23
Henry J. Guilmette, janitor	4,076.00
Henry J. Guilmette, supplies	2.27

Harold Hanson, labor	$ 12.50	
Insurance	774.36	
Johnson's Elec. Serv., labor supplies	85.68	
Larty Oil Company, oil-Woodsville	1,982.40	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, salt	13.95	
Marjorie Monroe, labor	49.70	
Elwin Nichols, labor	5.00	
People's Market, supplies	16.25	
Plymouth Village Fire Dist., service	61.00	
Rand's, supplies	124.23	
Record Print, supplies	1.50	
Rochester Germicide Co., supplies	66.75	
Samaha Electric, labor, supplies	11.10	
Scruggs Hardware, labor, supplies	232.94	
Fred H. Speed, Inc., labor	5.25	
C. B. Titus, oil-Plymouth	2,014.62	
White Mt. Appliance Co., labor	10.00	
White Mt. Power Co., service	621.61	
White River Paper Co., supplies	98.00	
Woodsville Water & Light Dept., service	1,100.55	
		$ 12,833.18

SUPERIOR COURT

Jury Payrolls	15,779.67
State vs. Payrolls	628.76

MASTERS FEES

William E. Lovejoy	585.00

STENOGRAPHER–ATTORNEY

William J. Baldwin, stenog. fees & expenses	$ 126.70
BPA Reporting Ass'n., transcript	40.00
Frances M. Doherty, stenog. fees & expenses	1,271.98
Peter J. Bragan, stenog. fees & exp.	1,513.44
Patricia Robinson, stenog. fees & expenses	1,033.05
Lillian T. Harbour, stenog. fees & expenses	23.09
Paul A. Sheehan, stenog. fees & expenses	6.25
Harrison Ins. Agency, bond	35.86
State Treasurer, allowance stenog.	5,720.00
William J. Deachman, expenses	536.50
Dorothy M. Ruff, stenog. fees, exp.	16.32
Walter Model, M.D., service	250.00
N. Geo. Papademas, attorney, exp.	1,022.50
E.W. Nolin & Asso., transcripts	40.90
IBM, supplies	91.80
Record Print, supplies	47.25
Theresa Reynolds, stenog. fees & exp.	35.00
Richard R. White, stenog. fees & exp.	94.49
N. Geo. Papademas, clerk hire	1,200.00
N.E. Telephone, service	722.50
	$13,827.63

CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT

Boston Law Book Co., books	$ 266.00
Equity Pub. Co., statutes	75.00
Glen Press, printing	193.00
Harrison Ins. Agency, bond	143.44
IBM Corp., supplies	114.52
Keystone Envelope Co., supplies	107.03
Ray Laraba, Ex. Sec'y., books	15.00
Carl Larson, supplies	56.84
Lawyer's Co-op Pub. Co., books	393.00

Wm. E. Lovejoy, allowance for Clerk and clerical hire	$9,841.31	
Joseph Marotti, equip. & supplies	779.00	
A. E. Martell Co., supplies	295.10	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, bookcases	40.68	
N.E. Telephone, service	1,479.90	
Norton Envelope Co., supplies	145.37	
Shepard's Citations, books	24.00	
Geo. Shovan, Supreme Court Opin.	40.00	
John W. Kelley, insurance	161.46	
State of N.H., certificates	9.50	
Kellett Stockheimer, postmaster, postage	439.60	
Tower Pub. Co., register	22.60	
Tuck Press, printing	15.00	
West Pub. Co., books	40.00	
Xerox Corp., services & supplies	555.99	
Clifford-Nicol, Inc., printing	67.50	
		$15,320.84

SHERIFF AND DEPUTIES

Herbert W. Ash, Clerk hire	$1,800.00
Herbert W. Ash, expenses	3,746.59
Albert Beaulieau, fees, expenses	156.40
Milo Cheney, fees, expenses	6,606.03
Harold Cummins, fees, expenses	117.30
Stuart Currier, fees, expenses	4,029.55
Theodore Gardner, fees, expenses	4,190.42
Carlyle Gilbert, fees, expenses	103.15
Stanley Hubbard, fees, expenses	531.27
Richard Knapp, fees, expenses	5,168.71
David Lang, fees, expenses	113.70
Frances Rock, fees, expenses	223.67
John Roden, fees, expenses	1,265.50
Frank Socci, fees, expenses	41.25
Wallace Tucker, fees, expenses	2,482.73
Robert K. Turner, fees, expenses	1,304.90
Dana Tyler, fees, expenses	538.05

Harold Morse, Jr., fees, expenses	$4,354.58
John Smart, fees, expenses	389.25
Golda Collins, fees, expenses	22.00
Jane Gosselin, fees, expenses	22.00
Paul Ingersol, fees, expenses	522.75
Allen MacNeil, fees, expenses	22.00
Amanda Gray, fees, expenses	171.00
Lawrence J. Shea, fees, expenses	125.81
Ruby Garceau, fees, expenses	22.00
Anthony H. Ryan, fees, expenses	22.00
Rita L. Little, fees, expenses	14.26
Raymond Holland, fees, expenses	97.50
Marie Jordan, fees, expenses	22.00
Dorothy Gould, fees, expenses	22.00
Marion Young, fees, expenses	22.00
John J. Ashley, fees, expenses	35.00
Benjamin Thompson, Jr., fees, exp.	50.00
Kenneth Roberts, fees, expenses	48.75
Walter Samsel, fees, expenses	48.75
Donald A. Crate, fees, expenses	138.70
Donald B. Ash, fees, expenses	309.40
Equity Publishing Co., statutes	25.00
Jesseman's Garage, repairs	85.60
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies	8.55
Mobil Oil Corp., gas & supplies	1,123.60
N. E. Telephone, service	1,853.88
Woolson & Clough, car insurance	223.30
Harrison Ins. Agency, bonds	858.00
Motorola Electronics, Inc. install-radio equipment	875.00
LeMay Sales, Inc., supplies	14.40
Grossman's, supplies	2.08
3M Business Products, equipment	483.20
Strafford County, services	60.00
Green Mt. Communications, radio installation	59.50
Treas. State of N.H., radio	27.95
Dept. of Safety, radio repair	31.00
Frances E. O'Donnell, radio install.	20.00
	$44,652.03

DETAIL OF PAYMENTS -- PUBLIC WELFARE

	Support of Poor off Farm	Old Age Assistance including Alien OAA	Board & Care of Children	Soldiers' Aid	Disabled	Total
Alexandria		$ 381.94	$ 1,452.12			$ 1,834.06
Ashland	$ 396.79	3,453.86	2,999.23			6,849.88
Bethlehem		3,599.77	4,219.22		$ 644.82	8,463.81
Bristol	398.96	636.16	4,647.04			5,682.16
Campton		904.15	260.00			1,164.15
Canaan	3,032.58	2,326.22	4,870.56	$ 3,662.96		13,892.32
Ellsworth		758.16				758.16
Enfield	3,474.28	2,398.94	5,432.86	561.10	894.80	12,761.98
Grafton		408.63	812.90			1,221.53
Groton		871.91				871.91
Hanover	200.00	3,078.90	5,527.94		313.05	9,119.89
Haverhill	1,104.96	3,890.61	5,076.30	240.18	199.67	10,511.72
Holderness		1,292.36				1,292.36
Landaff	522.28					522.28
Lebanon	8,886.83	9,055.32	26,152.05	4,417.95	2,080.83	50,592.98
Lincoln	1,381.30	4,421.34	4,502.50			10,305.14
Lisbon	247.80	2,532.51	11,640.89	586.71		15,007.91

Littleton	1,101.71	6,411.78	10,383.14	155.92	253.28	18,305.83
Lyman		1,669.75				1,669.75
Lyme		931.67				931.67
Monroe		196.42				196.42
Orford		1,141.49	1,651.03		1,336.83	4,129.35
Piermont		2,798.98				2,798.98
Plymouth	509.46	3,503.58	2,133.92			6,146.96
Rumney	901.47	1,482.15		2,401.96		4,785.58
Sugar Hill		382.27				382.27
Thornton	8.83	260.75			338.10	607.68
Warren			4,278.50			4,278.50
Wentworth		1,900.49				1,900.49
Woodstock		706.22		245.93	283.83	1,235.98
	$22,167.25	$61,396.33	$96,040.20	$12,272.71	$6,345.21	$198,221.70

DETAIL OF PAYMENTS

Statement of Old Age Assistance, Boarded Children and Aid to Disabled

	Cases	Amt. Old Age Asst. inc. Alien	Cases	Amount Boarded Children	Cases	Amount Disabled
January	94	$ 4,619.34	123	$ 7,468.62	7	$ 454.69
February	92	4,565.69	112	6,026.46	11	564.76
March	93	4,416.83	112	8,237.84	10	521.01
April	96	4,461.22	114	6,984.11	12	521.53
May	96	4,644.50	114	8,423.62	11	572.01
June	96	4,622.68	112	7,284.28	12	557.13
July	101	4,646.76	113	7,469.82	12	650.06
August	98	4,617.10	104	5,934.35	9	423.08
September	103	4,930.24	107	8,642.46	8	363.41
October	105	4,918.01	104	6,776.29	8	383.75
November	101	4,733.65	105	6,806.54	9	486.48
December	102	10,220.31	121	15,985.81	9	847.30
*TOTALS		$61,396.33		$96,040.20		$6,345.21

*Include 13 month period Due to "New Cost Accounting System"

WELFARE ADMINISTRATION EXPENSE

Accounting Forms, Inc., supplies	$ 43.27	
Floyd Chase, Jr., service	60.00	
Equity Pub. Co., statutes	25.00	
Granite State Electric, Co., service	24.50	
Greydon-Freeman, Inc., supplies	143.56	
IBM Corp., supplies	85.36	
Littleton Nat'l. Bank, checks	129.00	
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies	3.28	
Joseph Marotti, supplies	108.51	
A. E. Martell Co., supplies	242.98	
N. E. Telephone, service	1,063.57	
Norcross Office Supply, adding mach.	350.00	
Northern Office Supply, supplies	6.00	
Stewart, Warren & Benson, checks	86.19	
E. R. Tibbals, Jr., labor	185.25	
Tuck Press, printing	44.00	
White River Paper Co., supplies	52.20	
Whipple Realty Co., office rent-Lebanon	650.00	
Woodsville Post Office, postage	408.36	
Xerox Corp., service & supplies	555.97	
Salaries of Social Workers (3)	5,864.00	
Expenses of Social Workers (3)	1,827.87	
Clerical expenses-Welfare Office	9,716.11	
		$21,674.98
H. O. Taylor Chevrolet Co., County Home Station Wagon		2,908.36

INTEREST

Littleton Nat'l. Bank, Littleton, N.H.	
Interest on temporary loans No. 200 & 201	$8,355.83
Interest on Serial Notes	1,933.70
Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon, Lebanon, N.H.	
Interest on Serial Notes	2,268.00

National Shawmut Bank of Boston		
Interest on Bonds	$40,375.00	
		$52,932.53

INDEBTEDNESS

Littleton Nat'l. Bank, Littleton, N.H.		
Payment on temporary loans No. 200 & 201	$300,000.00	
Payment on Serial Notes	9,100.00	
Nat'l. Bank of Lebanon, Lebanon, N.H.		
Payment on Serial Note	7,000.00	
Nat'l. Shawmut Bank of Boston		
Payment on Hospital Bonds	45,000.00	
		$361,100.00

OUTLAY, NEW CONSTRUCTION

Woodsville Court House		
Cummings Construction Co., Labor	$ 567.19	
New Court House		
Luigi Castello, abstracts	250.00	
Carl Bruckner, title search	75.00	
Carroll Nihan, labor	362.00	
N. Haverhill Fire Dist., labor	75.00	
Verner Johnson & Hotvect, architects	31,084.50	
		$32,413.69
Radio System–Sheriff		11,940.00

ALL OTHER PAYMENTS

County Extension Service	$39,000.00
Retirement System	1,971.09
Social Security	17,969.46

DELEGATION EXPENSE

Fayne Anderson	$ 15.60	
Phil A. Bennett	25.35	
Robert G. Dow	35.40	
Frances B. Dudley	35.40	
George Brummer	20.80	
Nelson Chamberlin	12.00	
Harold Buckman	52.80	
Roger Duhaime	94.40	
Carl P. Foster	23.60	
Norman Ellms	43.80	
Van H. Gardner	59.20	
Wayne G. Higgins	27.60	
William R. Johnson	10.80	
Ernest Hopkins	42.00	
Herbert H. Karsten	40.80	
Edna B. McGee	61.60	
Norman A. McMeekin	27.00	
Shirley K. Merrill	82.60	
Lester Mitchell	48.00	
David C. Nutt	10.80	
Hazel I. Park	17.20	
Marcia T. Rich	22.20	
Madison Sears	108.00	
Manson B. Smith	48.00	
Malcolm Stevenson	16.80	
John H. Tilton	51.80	
Wilfred J. Trembley	23.60	
Laurence I. Radway	10.80	
		$1,067.95
Surplus Foods (State Treasurer)		1,932.63
Ayer Ins. Agency (Workmen's Compensation)		3,365.00
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service (Employees)		4,507.65

BICENTENNIAL

Kellett Stockheimer, postage	$ 33.00	
Courier Printing, histories & services	593.15	
Woodsville High School Band	25.00	
Chamberlin's Greenhouse, flowers	47.00	
William Horne, services	9.00	
Advertising	36.58	
The Happy Hour, Caterer	683.55	
Sherwin & Son, supplies	60.25	
		$1,487.53

MISCELLANEOUS

Budget Ads	$304.36	
Clifford-Nicol, Inc., County reports	629.52	
Richard Roulx, County Assn'n. Dues	357.00	
Woodsville Post Office, postage	5.00	
White River Paper Co., supplies	13.82	
		$1,309.70

REPORT OF GRAFTON COUNTY BOND ACCOUNT
County Nursing Home, Woodsville, N.H.
as of December 31, 1969

	End of 1968	1969	End of 1969
RECEIPTS:			
Principal of Bond Issue	$850,000.00		$850,000.00
Premium on Bonds	3,502.00		3,502.00
Accrued Interest	4,149.62	$ 21,198.62	25,348.24
Hill Burton Fund		221,400.00	221,400.00
Insurance Payments (Refunds)		678.65	678.65
Totals	$857,651.62	$243,277.27	$1,100,928.89
EXPENSES:			
Servicing Bond Issue	$ 3,361.55		$ 3,361.55
Architect	36,587.15	$ 19,231.83	55,818.98
General Contractor	138,753.00	610,575.71	749,328.71
Postage on Bonds	18.37		18.37
Water & Light Dept., transformers	2,055.00		2,055.00
Insurance-Builders Risk	793.00	194.00	987.00
Misc., coupon service, ads	180.62	42.50	223.12
Miscellaneous Contracts		16,518.73	16,518.73
Furniture, fixtures, linen		76,992.41	76,992.41
Kitchen Equipment		21,149.58	21,149.58
Totals	$181,748.69	$744,704.76	$926,453.45
Cash	97,101.55	(501,427.49)	174,475.44
Treasury Bills	578,801.38		
	$857,651.62	$243,277.27	$1,100,928.89

Figures in parenthesis are minus amounts.

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash Balance from year 1968	$187,309.47	
Taxes collected from towns	629,025.29	
Temporary loans	335,000.00	
Grafton County Home	239,056.32	
Court Houses	810.00	
Register of Deeds	42,395.62	
Register of Probate (State of N.H.)	2,700.00	
Superior Court	5,676.51	
Interest on Certificates of Deposit	1,045.03	
Interest on Treasury Notes	21,198.62	
Treasury Notes	578,801.38	
Hill Burton Fund	221,400.00	
Reimbursement for Board of Children	6,785.70	
Reimbursement for Direct Relief	484.72	
Reimbursement for Old Age Assistance	1,872.59	
Towns for Surplus Foods	1,879.59	
Miscellaneous	1,004.05	
		$2,276,444.89

DISBURSEMENTS

Commissioners Orders	$1,169,191.33	
Court Orders	73,428.52	
Payment on Temporary Loans	300,000.00	
Treasury Notes	578,801.38	
Cash in Treasurer's hands-December 31, 1969	155,023.66	
		$2,276,444.89

COMPARATIVE DEBT STATEMENT

	Dec. 31, 1968	Dec. 31, 1969
Temporary loans outstanding		$ 35,000.00
Serial notes outstanding	$101,500.00	85,400.00
Bonds outstanding	850,000.00	805,000.00
Bills payable	13,500.00	None
TOTAL DEBT	$965,000.00	$925,400.00
Cash on hand	90,507.92	155,323.66
Bills Receivable	17,738.28	47,846.27
TOTAL SURPLUS	$108,246.20	$203,169.93

DETAILED ACCOUNT OF WELFARE INVESTIGATORS' EXPENSE

		Mileage	Hotel & Subsistance	Other Expense	Total
*	Evelyn J. Hammond	$ 780.96	$165.50	$193.24	$1,139.70
**	Esther Whitney	504.24	77.23	62.70	644.17
***	Marilyn Foley	44.00			44.00

*Covers Lebanon District
**Covers Littleton District
***Covers Plymouth District

DETAILED ACCOUNT OF COUNTY OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Kenneth G. Bell, Commissioner	$ 517.00	$ 2.00		$ 519.00
George F. Clement, Commissioner	178.50			178.50
Bert P. Shores, Commissioner	600.70			600.70
Willard G. Bromage, Jr., Treasurer	64.00		231.14	295.14
George N. Papademas, Attorney	731.40	264.60	26.50	1,022.50

COUNTY AUDITORS' REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1969

County Treasurer's Account

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1969	$ 187,309.47	
Receipts-Yr. Ending Dec. 31, 1969	2,089,135.42	
	$2,276,444.89	
Payments-Yr. Ending December 31, 1969	2,121,421.23	
Balance-Dec. 31, 1969 as per cash book		$155,023.66
Balance in Littleton Nat'l. Bank	197,846.64	
Balance in Woodsville Nat'l. Bank	67,669.46	
As per statements of Dec. 31, 1969	265,516.10	
Less Outstanding Orders	110,492.44	
Reconciled Bank Balance as of December 31, 1969		$155,023.66

County Farm Superintendent's Account

Total Amount of Receipts from Institution – Year Ending December 31, 1969	$ 239,056.32
Total Remittances to County Treasurer– Year Ending December 31, 1969	239,056.32
Superintendent's Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1969	300.00
Superintendent's Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1969	300.00

Indebtedness—December 31, 1969

Outstanding temporary loan in anticipation of taxes	$ 35,000.00
Outstanding Serial Notes	85,400.00
Outstanding Bonds	805,000.00
Bills owed by County	None

County Taxes Uncollected—December 31, 1969

County Taxes Due from Towns	$ 29,343.39

Signed

FLOYD D. CHASE, JR.
GEORGE H. RICHARDSON
County Auditors

Date January 26, 1970

Woodsville, N.H.
December 31, 1969

We hereby certify that there were no outstanding bills against the County on December 31, 1969, which were presented for payment and no orders issued by us which have not been paid by the Treasurer.

We have seven Serial Notes outstanding for $7,000.00 each, (Improvements to House of Correction); four Serial Notes outstanding for $9,100.00 each, (purchase of Clough Property). We have 805 Nursing Home Bonds outstanding at $1,000.00 each, also, one temporary

loan for $35,000 in anticipation of 1970 taxes.

KENNETH G. BELL
GEORGE F. CLEMENT
BERT P. SHORES
Grafton County Commissioners

State of New Hampshire, Grafton, ss.

December 31, 1969

Personally appeared the above named Kenneth G. Bell, George F. Clement and Bert P. Shores and made oath to the above statement by them signed.

CHARLES A. WOOD
Notary Public

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Grafton County Home
Haverhill, N.H.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report of the Grafton County Farm Almshouse, House of Correction and Jail for the year ended December 31, 1969.

Almshouse

Number of Inmates January 1, 1969	87
Number admitted during year	52
Number discharged during year	28
Number of deaths	18
Number of Residents January 1, 1970	93

House of Correction

Number of Inmates January 1, 1969	8
Number admitted during year	128
Number discharged during year	117
Number of Inmates January 1, 1970	19

Jail

Number of Inmates January 1, 1969	6
Number admitted during year	223
Number discharged during year	224
Number of Inmates January 1, 1970	5

Number of weeks board furnished residents, House of Correction and Jail, not paid by towns, individuals and others. 2,390 and 4 days.

Number of weeks board furnished other than above-mentioned 3,314.

COUNTY HOME EXPENDITURES

Institution

Labor	$103,635.96	
Provisions	29,767.82	
Clothing	1,027.86	
Supplies & Equipment	13,110.34	
Fuel	15,311.64	
Additions and repairs	10,186.85	
Water and lights	5,217.52	
Freight, express, telephone	842.79	
Insurance	777.60	
Roach extermination	216.00	
Service of clergy	440.00	
Expenses of Supt's. car	588.58	
Superintendent's Bond	143.00	
Outside medical service	848.10	
Sewage Disposal System	34,418.01	
Tree Removal	400.00	
Miscellaneous	112.00	
		$217,044.07

Farm

Truck, tractor, farm machinery expenses	4,999.82
Taxes	4,510.35
Insurance	1,336.16
Light and Power	1,300.00
Labor	22,624.30
Feed	27,124.08
Supplies	2,251.41
Repairs	1,366.32
Equipment	1,834.81
Fertilizer	3,921.09
Veterinary	1,405.10
Milk Testing	590.36
Breeding service	747.00
Weed Control	291.85

Registering cattle	$ 227.00	
Bedding	629.50	
Seeds	697.35	
Fuel-repairs-Farm houses	3,294.21	
Miscellaneous	712.57	
		$ 79,863.28

Hospital

Doctor	$ 3,600.00	
Labor-Nurses and Aides	87,697.38	
Supplies & equipment	23,120.23	
Repairs	550.14	
Outside hospital service	59.50	
Burial	300.00	
Nursing Home License	50.00	
Insurance (New Hospital)	1,395.00	
Water & Lights (New Hospital)	1,171.83	
Miscellaneous	302.23	
		$118,246.31

Jail

Labor	$ 36,971.82	
Repairs	194.67	
Supplies	1,418.55	
Insurance	422.10	
Outside medical	365.00	
Outside Board-Dartmouth students	2,604.65	
Miscellaneous	24.12	
		$ 42,000.91
TOTAL EXPENSE		$457,154.57

Receipts

Boarders	$ 60,436.29
Hospital	107,151.97

Farm:		
Cattle and swine	$ 9,608.14	
Milk	59,386.37	
Produce	51.00	
Other Income	916.85	
		$ 69,962.36
Miscellaneous		1,505.70
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$239,056.32
Cash advanced by Commissioners		300.00
		$239,356.32

Expenditures

Paid County Treasurer	$239,056.32
Cash on hand December 31, 1969	300.00
	$239,356.32

INVENTORY

Personal Property of Grafton County Home

December 31, 1968

Livestock	$52,940.00	
Products and supplies	21,970.46	
Farm Implements	32,922.34	
Household Furniture	7,870.20	
Supplies & Equip.-Institution	38,599.85	
Jail & House of Correction	2,469.85	
Chapel	592.00	
Hospital	28,006.54	
		$185,371.24

Personal Property of Grafton County Home

December 31, 1969

Livestock	$53,450.00	
Products and supplies	21,487.00	
Farm Implements	28,853.00	
Household Furniture	10,874.00	
Supplies & Equip.-Institution	38,753.00	
Jail & House of Correction	3,598.00	
Chapel	621.00	
Hospital	98,000.00	
		$255,636.00

Per Capita Cost of Inmates at Grafton County Home Including Almshouse, House of Correction and Jail

	Weeks	Days
Almshouse	1194	2
House of Correction	869	6
Jail	326	3
Total	2,390	1
Town Boarders	218	6
Private Boarders O.A.A., etc.	3,095	1
Net Total	5,703	8

Total 5,704 weeks 1 day

County Home Expenditures	$457,154.57	
Inventory of personal property at beginning of year	185,371.24	
Accounts due County Home at beginning of year	15,348.68	
		$657,874.49
County Home Receipts	$239,056.32	
Inventory at end of year	255,636.00	
Accounts due County Home	17,597.06	
		$512,289.38
Balance against County Home		$145,585.11

Per capita cost per week including boarders and public welfare cases, but excluding employees and guests: $25.52+

Although we have been with the Grafton County Home and Hospital a very short time, we cannot help but be proud to be members of the Staff.

This pride stems from widely diverse areas—from the new hospital extension, for which the late Superintendent Frank Little worked so tirelessly—to the farm area where our Head Herdsman, Charles Page, reared Grafco Charioteer Belle who brought back the only Blue Ribbon to New Hampshire at the 1969 Eastern States Fair.

In our few weeks, we saw the complete renovation of our kitchen as well as other improvements in our facilities, and we saw the cooperation and dedication of all the employees during the ice storm of December.

Easing the way for us has been Mrs. Rita Little, to whom we shall be eternally grateful.

We extend our thanks to you, your office staff, the members of the Clergy and the members of the Community for their graciousness to us and to the residents and patients here at the institution.

We would also like to thank Douglas Bigelow, Farm Manager, the entire Hospital Staff and all the many other employees for making us feel so welcome.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM SIEGMUND
Superintendent
IRENE SIEGMUND
Matron

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Superintendent of the County Home for the year ended Dec. 31, 1969 and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

KENNETH G. BELL
GEORGE F. CLEMENT
BERT P. SHORES
Grafton County Commissioners

The past year was a very busy and eventful one for the Grafton County Nursing Home and Hospital.

On Oct. 11th ceremonies commemorating the Bicentennial of Grafton County and the dedication of the new seventy-nine bed hospital unit were held at the County Home.

Nov. 5th was moving day into the new unit—a long awaited dream finally realized. On Nov. 17th Mr. and Mrs. William Siegmund took over the duties of Supt. and Matron. It is indeed a pleasure to work with them.

We are indeed very grateful for the interest and contributions of so many groups, organizations and individuals for the welfare and happiness of our patients.

All County and State agencies have been very helpful during the past year.

In closing I wish to express thanks to the County Commissioners, Mrs. Madeline Kirk, Dr. Eastman, the chaplains and staff for their support and interest during the past year.

Special thanks go to Evelyn Bigelow, Director of Nurses, Douglas Bigelow, Farm Manager and all employees for their loyalty and help during the construction and equipping of the new unit.

Respectfully submitted,

RITA L. LITTLE
Administrator

The 1969 Show Circuit

Grafco Charioteer Belle was first place Aged Cow, Senior and Grand Champion at both the Northern Black and White Show in North Haverhill, and the New Hampshire Black and White Show at Hopkinton, N.H.

Belle and her daughter took first place at the Northern B & W show, and second place in the New Hampshire B & W show in the Dam & Daughter Class.

Belle also placed first in the Dry Cow class, for the second year in a row, at Eastern States and brought back the only Blue Ribbon to New Hampshire. She was in the New Hampshire State Herd for the fifth year in succession.

Belle was in the Senior Get of Sire group of a U.N.H. Charioteer. The Group consisted of Grafco Charioteer Pauline and Grafco Charioteer Ava as well. They placed first at the Northern B & W and the New Hampshire B & W and third at Eastern States.

This same trio took first in the New Hampshire B & W and third at Eastern States.

The two Group Classes won the Reserve All New England Awards for 1969.

Grafco Charioteer Belle gave birth to another daughter February 1, 1970.

CHARLES PAGE
Head Herdsman
Grafton County Farm

INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY HOME

Name	Town	Age	Time Supported Wks.	Days
Latuche, Flossina	Ashland	57	14	3
Ferrin, Sally*	Bristol	58	52	1
Mussey, Christabelle*	Bristol	57	52	1
Edgell, Elwin*	Campton	63	52	1
Blouin, Alec*	Canaan	70	52	1
Covell, Donald*	Hanover	54	26	2
Brown, Marion*	Haverhill	46	52	1
Miles, Howard	Haverhill	72	17	4
Clough, Kate*	Haverhill	82	16	1
Phelps, Brenda	Transient	18		0
Phelps, James	Transient	23		0
Ryan, Martha*	Haverhill	72	12	6
Emery, Virginia*	Holderness	50	52	1
Shepard, Theron*	Holderness	57	21	4
Castonguay, Alma*	Lebanon	51	39	0
Stacy, Clyde*	Lebanon	54	52	1
Thibodeau, Grace*	Lebanon	51	45	6
Henry, Paul*	Lebanon	55	42	1
Racine, Armand	Lebanon	59	21	6
Carbonneau, Leo	Lincoln	68	10	0
Bahtz, Elsbeth*	Lisbon	94	31	1
Guilmette, Charles*	Lisbon	68	17	1
Smith, James*	Lisbon	49	52	1
Tift, Samuel*	Lisbon	60	52	1
Miner, Carl	Littleton	89	35	6
Myers, George*	Lyman	60	52	1
French, Mary*	Piermont	57	52	1
Berube, Marion*	Plymouth	53	52	1
Willoughby, George*	Plymouth	55	52	1
Hill, Oscar*	Warren	61	50	2
McKee, Gordon*	Warren	59	52	1
Smith, Harold*	Wentworth	39	52	1

*Indicates now at Home

Private boarders and public welfare cases not listed.

TOWN BOARDERS AT GRAFTON COUNTY HOME

Name	Town	Time Supported Afe	Wks.	Days
Healey, Perley*	Alexandria	88	9	5
Leavitt, John*	Enfield	74	4	2
Boutin, Henry*	Haverhill	55	1	5
Clough, Kate	Haverhill	82	34	5
Miles, Howard	Haverhill	72	12	6
Sawyer, Margaret*	Haverhill	55	2	1
Tegu, Bernice*	Haverhill	57	4	1
Ames, Nellie	Holderness	76	15	6
Covell, Donald		55	25	6
Couture, Evelyn*	Lincoln	60	52	1
Porter, Bernard	Lincoln	59	18	1
Raulusonis, John *	Lincoln	76	25	6
Lyndes, George	Lisbon	59	5	3
Merrill, Edith*	Lisbon	71	6	0

*Indicates Hospital

INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Aldrich, Morris,	O.A.R.	34		2
Alger, William;	Possession of a controlled drug	20	1	5
Anderson, Philip E., Jr.;	Possession of a controlled drug	17	4	3
Atwood, Albert;	R.O.-I.R., operating without a license	18		3
Avery, Dalton T.;	Contributing to the delinquency of a minor	17	1	3
Avery, Forest K.;	Drunk	55	15	5
Beattie, William L.;	Drunk	43	11	4
Beattie, William L.;	Drunk	44	3	6
Blodgett, Converse C.;	D.W.I. Operating without license	46	3	4
Blodgett, Lewis;	False Pretense	62	3	6
Bodie, John A. Jr.;	D.W.I., Loaded Weapon	43	3	6
Boyce, Charles W.;	O.A.S.	17		2
Bradley, Robert;	Driving after suspension	18		2
Braman, Lawrence F.;	Lascivious behavior	57	4	1
Bruce, Allen B.;	Petty Larceny	52	3	6
Burrows, John L.;	Disorderly conduct	18	1	2
Caswell, James A.;	Non-support	44	11	4
Comeau, John H.;	Burglary	23	14	
Comeau, Robert;	Drunk	51	8	5
Conway, Patrick;	R.S.A., O.A.R., O.W.C.	22		2
Cook, William R.;	Burglary	38	2	1
Corey, John E.;	Assault & Battery	24	18	
Corliss, Bernard R.;	Procuring alcoholic beverages for a minor	43	16	6
Corliss, Ernest;	Drunk	53		5
Corliss, Wilmer;	Drunk & disorderly	38	3	6
Corliss, Wilmer;	Drunk & disturbing the peace	38	9	6
Crawford, Bernard;	O.A.R., D.W.I., F.F.P.	23		6
Curtis, Gordon W.;	Taking a motor vehicle without authority	28	15	3
Day, Norman;	Probation violation	18	17	
David, Bruce;	Malicious damage	18	2	1

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
DeLong, Charles R.;	Taking a motor vehicle without authority	30	15	3
Dickey, Ernest J.;	Unlawful entry	22	2	6
Dickey, Roy L.;	Unlawful entry	25	7	5
Dillon, John W.;	Drunk	30	8	2
Dobran, George;	Assault & Battery	22	2	5
Drake, Stanley A.;	Breaking the peace	20	1	5
Englert, William F., Jr.;	F.F.P.	30		1
Forbest, Richard E.;	Violation of court order	28	1	
French, Babe R.;	Disorderly conduct	23	6	5
Frye, David T.;	Drunk	23	3	6
Fuller, Philip A.;	Taking w/o authority, D.W.I.	19	24	
Fullington, James H.;	Larceny	18	3	6
Gardner, John A.;	Drunkenness	53	10	2
Gardner, John A.;	Drunkenness	53	8	6
Gardner, John A.;	Drunk	54	7	
Gervia, Allen F.;	O.A.S.	34	2	
Gervia, Allen F.;	Giving alcoholic beverage to a minor	34	3	6
Gillen, Dean P.;	Burglary	17	15	3
Gleason, Richard;	Simple drunk	37		5
Goodell, Edward J.;	Larceny	18	3	6
Grant, John D.;	O.A.R.	23	3	6
Grenon, Roger G.;	Assault	42	4	1
Halvorsen, Stanley I.;	D.W.I., 2 offense, O.A.R.	36	5	
Hansen, Richard O.;	Aggravated assault	20	42	6
Haskins, James, E.;	Derisive words	29	3	6
Heath, Woodrow;	Vagrancy	56	2	
Hemphill, Harry;	Begging	61	2	4
Hill, Leo L.;	Statutory Rape	18	23	4
Hobart, Robert A.;	Contempt of court	22	11	4
Howlett, Sidney L.;	Simple Drunk	24	3	6
Johnson, Clarence J.;	P.U.P.	20		1
Jordan, Edgar P.;	Larceny	17		2
Jordan, Edgar P.;	Larceny	17	7	5
Kent, Jeffrey P.;	Drunk	18	3	6
Keyes, Gordon R.;	Drunk	22	3	6
Kidder, Walter E.;	O.A.R.	27	11	4
Kinne, Horace F., Jr.;	D.W.I.	33	11	3
Lasheway, Arthur J.;	O.A.R.	27	3	6
Laurie, Carl J., Jr.;	Larceny	19	15	3
Leach, Landon H.;	Bad Checks	32	11	6

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Lovell, John B.;	Operating after suspension	24	3	6
Macey, Everett;	Taking motor vehicle without owner's consent	34	27	6
MacIver, Glen G.;	Glue sniffing	18		3
Mayo, Archie;	O.A.R.	23	1	
Marcott, Ralph D.;	Drunkenness	54	3	6
McLaughlin, Robert;	Derisive words; obstructing officer	18	2	4
Merrill, Allen;	Disorderly conduct	23	10	5
Merrill, Roger A.;	Drunk	25		1
Miller, John E.;	Selling a controlled drug	19	10	
Montanya, Lyman R.;	Loaded weapon in car, aiding escape of prisoner	24	2	5
Moulton, Charles C.;	D.W.I.	22		4
Murray, Carol A.;	Possession of a controlled drug	24	1	2
Nile, Mark;	B.E. & L.	17	22	6
Nolette, Chester M.;	Drunkenness	24	4	4
Page, Jerry H.;	Operating without license	25		5
Paquette, Edmunds;	Discharging firearms in compact part of town	36	6	7
Paradie, Robert;	Grand larceny by check	29	4	6
Pettingill, Stanley;	Drunkenness	48		6
Picard, David D.;	O.A.R., O.A.S.	23	1	5
Piper, Arnold E.;	Derisive Words	30	3	6
Pike, Merton R.;	Drunk & disorderly	46	5	4
Porter, Richard C.;	Operating after revocation	19		2
Prime, David E.;	Assault	23		1
Provencal, Edward F.;	Operating w/o license, speeding	21	1	3
Provencher, Laurent;	Disorderly conduct	18	1	2
Raney, Calvin;	Simple drunk	44	7	4
Reilly, Robert B.;	Assault & Battery, Procuring for a minor	24	3	6
Reynolds, Walter;	Drunk	57	2	
Richards, Stephen P.;	O.A.R.	18		2
Robinson, Kenneth R.;	Oper. w/o license, oper. unreg. vehicle	19	2	1
Rogers, Stanley F., Jr.;	Burglary	20	23	5
Rokes, Maurice A.;	O.A.R.	60	4	

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Rogers, Holton Clark, Jr.;	Unlawful possession of controlled drug	22	10	3
Sargent, Richard D.;	Burglary	20	11	6
Sawyer, Clifford;	Assault	49	3	
Shawney, Larry;	Driving while intoxicated	30	12	
Sheppard, Theron;	Simple drunk	56	11	6
Shortsleeves, James S.;	vagrancy	41	2	
Sibley, Roger B.;	Selling a controlled drug	19	10	
Sirard, Jerry;	Unlawful possession of a controlled drug	17	10	3
Stebbins, Dorothy;	Procurring Alc. Bev.	22		3
Story, Henry C.;	Vagrancy	48	7	5
Sturtevant, Rollie;	Malicious Damage to property	29	23	5
Sturtevant, Wilbur B.;	Assault	22	11	5
Sturtevant, Wilbur B.;	Aggravated assault	22	9	
Temple, Martin I.;	Violation of sentence;O.A.S.	25	3	6
Thayer, Douglas;	contributing to the del. of a minor	17	2	
Thomson, Ross P.;	intent to defraud	36	13	1
Tibbets, Roger R.;	Assault & Battery	26	3	6
Tibbets, Roger R.;	Malicious injury to property, drunkenness	26	7	5
Tyler, Clark M.;	Misuse of plates, speeding, taking a M/V w/o auth.	23	3	1
Varney, Roger O.;	Bigamy	21	19	5
Wescott, Morris A., Jr.;	Malicious damage to property	23	2	6
Wilson, Michael B.;	O.A.R.; Disorderly conduct	25	25	6
Wilson, Michael B.;	Larceny	25	3	6
Wheeler, Clifton V.;	Obstructing officer	27	3	6
Young, John R.;	Non-support	42	6	4

INMATES OF GRAFTON COUNTY JAIL

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Adams, Leon;	O.A.R.	22		1
Aldrich, Dennis E.;	Felon in poss. of a revolver	51	2	5
Aldrich, Dennis E.;	Felon in poss. of a revolver	51		2
Aldrich, Morris;	O.A.R.	34		1
Alger, William J. Jr.;	Possession of a controlled drug	20	1	5
Allen, Dennis A. Jr.;	Contempt of court	25		1
Anderson, Philip, Jr.;	Parole violation	17	1	
Anderson, Philip, Jr.;	Court continuance	16		5
Appleton, Jerald L.;	Disorderly conduct	17		1
Bailey, Terry;	Assault & Battery	33		1
Barlow, James E.;	Poss. of narcotics	26	1	2
Bartlett, Richard E.;	Murder 1st. degree	31	1	
Barrows, Clifford;	Drunkenness	38		2
Beach, Paul W.;	contempt of court	23		1
Beach, Paul W.;	contempt of court	23		1
Becker, Howard S.;	Contempt of court	18		1
Becker, Howard S.;	contempt of court	18		1
Bell, Ed.;	A.W.O.L. U.S. Army	23		1
Blake, Richard;	Transient	50		1
Blodgett, Converse;	D.W.I.	46		6
Blood, Michael;	Disorderly conduct	18		3
Boary, Edith S.;	O.A.R.	42		2
Bonomo, Joseph M.;	Contempt of court	22		1
Bonomo, Joseph M.;	Contempt of court	22		1
Bossie, Roger L.;	O.P. w/o license	28		1
Bortman, David C.;	Poss. of narcotic drugs	21		1
Boyce, Gerald C.;	A.W.O.L. Army	20		1
Brady, Fred M.;	Taking without authority; oper. w/o license	25		2
Braman, Lawrence;	Unnatural and Larcivious acts	57		1
Brandenburg, Guy E.;	Contempt of court	19		1
Brandenburg, Guy E.;	Contempt of court	19		1

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Breen, Timothy M.;	Contempt of court	20		1
Breen, Timothy M.;	Contempt of court	20	3	6
Brelsford, John E.;	Contempt of court	18		1
Brelsford, John E.;	Contempt of court	18		1
Brochu, Robert J.;	Burglary	23		1
Brosky, Maurice;	Shooting a human being in mistake for game	31		1
Bumford, Kenneth;	operate vehicle under the inf. of a narcotic drug	46		1
Burt, Richard R.;	Kidnapping & Ag. assault	35	8	4
Busch, Robert E.;	illegal night hunting	23		1
Carlson, Carl;	Being present where drugs	18	2	5
Carpenter, David M.;	M.V. operating w/o license	18		1
Carpenter, Hugh D.;	contempt of court	22		1
Carpenter, Hugh D.;	contempt of court	22		1
Chase, Steve Mark;	vagrancy	17		1
Cleaves, Richard R.;	Burglary	25		3
Cleaves, Richard R.;	Burglary	25	1	2
Colby, Allen R.;	Disorderly conduct	17		1
Coleman, Winfield R.;	capian (non-support)	44		1
Collins, Clifford R.;	A.W.O.L. Army	19		3
Conroy, Michael;	Grand Larceny	18		1
Conway, Patrick Jr.;	Taking Mo. Ve. w/o owners consent	22		4
Cook, William R.;	Burglary	38	6	4
Costello, Lorenxo III;	contempt of court	22		1
Costello, Lorenz III;	contempt of court	22		1
Curtis, Gordon W.;	Escape	28	2	5
Daley, Nichole;	contempt of court	23		1
Daley, Nichole;	contempt of court	23		1
Day, Norman;	Probation violation	18	4	1
Davis, Bruce;	Drunk, no license	18		1
DeFiore, Edward Pasquale;	Illegal presence of drugs	21		2
DeLeary, Andrew;	Assault & battery	53		1
DePastino, Donimic;	Taking money under false pretenses	33		4

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Desrosiers, Ray, Jr.;	Larceny over $100.00	21	1	2
DeWolf, Fletcher M. Jr.;	Being present where dangerous drugs kept	17		4
DeWolf, Fletcher M. Jr.;	Drugs	17	1	5
Dillon, John W.;	Burglary	29	7	
Dillon, John W.;	Burglary	30	2	5
Dodge, Gary;	Capias (B&E&L)	20	1	4
Dougal, David G.;	Drunk	79	3	6
Drew, Ephream A. Jr.;	O.A.R.	29		3
Duprey, Roland W.;	Unlawful Entry	24	1	6
Eagan, Nelson M.;	Contempt of court	20		1
Eagan, Nelson M.;	Contempt of court	20		1
Emmons, William H.;	Mittimus for contempt	52	4	6
Evans, Nelson M.;	Burglary	22		4
Evans, Nelson M.;	Burglary	22		5
Ferdinand, Rodney H.;	B.E.&L.	31		3
Figueroa, Ferninand V.;	Reckless Driving-Operating w/o license	21		2
Fishman, William L.;	Possession of narcotics	20	1	1
Fitchpatrick, Joseph H.;	Derisive words; Drunk & disturbing the peace	52		1
Fleming, Lawrence A.;	Burglary	19	5	6
French, Babe R.;	Disorderly conduct	23		1
Frost, Johathan J.;	Contempt of court	19		1
Frost, Johathan J.;	Contempt of court	19		1
Fuller, Philip A.;	Larceny	19	1	
Garber, Leonard;	Poss. of narcotic drugs	20		1
Gardner, John A.;	Drunk	53		3
Garrett, Leonard S.;	Escapee Ind. school	15		1
Gaylord, John I.;	Fraudulent check	23	1	2
Geller, William;	Contempt of court	19	1	
Gervia, Allen F.;	Contributing to minors	34		1
Gilbert, Edmund P.;	Transient	50		1
Gillen, Dean P.;	Burglary	17	13	5
Goulet, Thomas G.;	Contempt of court	18	1	
Grace, Ronald L.;	Contempt of court	19	4	5
Green, David H.;	Contempt of court	19		1

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Greenfield, Jeffery;	Illegal possession drugs	21		1
Grenon, Roger G.;	Burglary	42	16	
Grenon, Roger G.;	Burglary	42	13	5
Guest, David H.;	Contempt of court	25		2
Hale, Richard;	Grand larceny, possession controlled drug	18	1	5
Harrocks, Edith S.;	Drunkeness	53		2
Hastings, Raymond;	Fraudulent check	37	2	
Hayes, James P.;	Possession controlled drug	26	1	4
Heath, Woodrow W.;	Vagrancy	56		2
Heitzman, Robert;	Contempt of court	19		2
Hill, Dennis A.;	F.F.P.	21	1	4
Hill, Leo L.;	Burglary and statutory rape	18	7	3
Hill, Oscar B.;	Drunk	60		2
Hodgson, Fred G.;	Contempt of court	19		2
Hollis, Christopher;	Poss. of drugs	20		3
Houston, Glen C.;	Drunkeness	21		1
Hurlbert, Dean N.;	Contempt of court	26		1
Ingerson, Robert;	Transient	21		1
Jalbert, Henry;	Transient	63		1
Jarvis, Stephen;	Poss. of narcotics	18		1
Kennedy, Ellen;	Contempt of court	26		2
Kessler, Charles;	Poss. of narcotic	19		1
Kimball, Malcolm;	Drunk-Damage to property	22	3	4
Knighton, Perley;	Transient	46		1
Kronillis, J.;	Poss. of narcotic	19	1	5
LaFlam, Eddie;	O.A.R.	23		2
Laird, Susan;	Contempt of court	20		1
Lamos, Paul G.;	Burglary	18		4
LaPete, Flavys;	A.W.O.L.	21		2
Laramie, Robert;	Poss. of narcotic	22	1	
Lasheway, Arthur;	Receiving stolen property	28		3
Laurie, Carl;	Burglary	19	3	6
Laurie, Carl;	Larceny	19	5	
Leach, Landon H.;	Larceny by check	32	2	3
Leach, Landon H.;	Fugitive from justice	32		1
Levin, Edward M.;	Contempt of court	22		1

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Linden, Harry W.;	Robbery	27	3	1
Lizotte, Dennis;	Statutory Rape	27		2
Logan, Daniel;	Contempt of court	20		2
Lynn, Arthur B.;	Poss. of narcotic	21		1
Mackie, Alexander;	Contempt of court	18		2
Mathews, James R.;	Loaded rifle in motor vehicle	21		1
Maxwell, Michael P.;	Illegal Poss. of drugs	19		2
Megantz, Linda;	Contempt of court	20		2
Mellquist, John Q.;	Contempt of court	21		1
Menzel, Henry W.;	Contempt of court	19		2
Metzger, Walter;	Contempt of court	18		2
Miller, Donald E.;	Contempt of court	21		2
Miller, John E.;	Selling controlled drugs	19	6	4
Minor, Reginald;	Transient	65		1
Mitchell, Mark;	Contempt of court	19	3	6
Mirengoff, Paul;	Contempt of court	20		2
Mody, Neville;	Contempt of court	22		2
Montanya, Lyman R.;	Poss. of a stolen weapon	24	2	5
Mossey, Peter;	Assault & Battery	45		1
Moody, Joane;	Drunk & disorderly	35		1
McGrath, Daniel;	Loitering-derisive words	18		1
McGuyer, Donald;	Poss. of drugs	17		5
McKay, Norene;	Contempt of court	22		2
McLaughlin, Gary;	Embezzlement	24	2	2
McMath, Diana;	Burglary	22	2	6
Nichols, Robert;	Contempt of court	21		2
Nile, Glen;	B.E.&L.	18	5	4
Nile, Mark;	B.E.&L.	17	1	6
Oberst, George;	Contempt of court	21	3	6
Ockenfels, James;	Contempt of court	20		2
Pacht, Bruce V.;	Contempt of court	23		2
Page, Carroll;	Transient	21		1
Paine, Michael;	Contempt of court	19	3	
Paragie, Robert;	D.W.I.	30		2
Paro, Richard;	Poss. of controlled drug	19		1

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Patten, Bruce W.;	Burglary	18		1
Paye, Wayne;	Drunk	18		1
Payne, Pierre D.;	Contempt of court	20		2
Pelkey, John;	Contempt of court	25		4
Phelps, James C.;	Parole violation	23	2	6
Prue, Robert M.;	Drunk-derisive words	27		1
Rennels, Glen;	Contempt of court	18		2
Reynolds, Frank;	Contempt of court	21	3	6
Roberts, Michael;	Contempt of court	19		2
Roberg, Oscar T.;	Contempt of court	18		2
Rokes, Maurice;	O.A.R.	60		2
Rogers, George;	Embezzlement	47		2
Rogers, Holton C.;	Poss. of narcotic	22	2	2
Rogers, Stanley;	Burglary	20	16	6
Rollins, Norman;	D.W.I.	46		1
Rowell, Floyd H.;	Transient	26		1
Rudd, Dwight;	Poss. of drugs	17		4
Rugg, Frank M.;	Contempt of court	19		2
Russell, Clarence;	D.W.I.	71		1
Sargent, Richard;	Burglary	20	3	6
Sheehan, John J.;	D.W.I.	23		1
Sheffield, David;	Poss. of drugs	18	1	5
Sibley, Roger B.;	Selling drugs	19	6	4
Simonds, Milton;	Larceny	18	1	
Sirard, Jerry A.;	Poss. & selling drugs	17	4	2
Smialek, Walter S.;	Fraud	48	2	5
Sokol, William A.;	Contempt of court	20	3	6
Stoll, Steven J.;	Contempt of court	22	3	6
Stone, Elmer;	Lavacious acts	33		1
Sturtevant, Wilber;	Assault	22	4	6
Svesko, Vladimir;	Contempt of court	21	3	6
Sweeney, Robert E.;	O.A.R.	40		1
Taff, James C.;	Contempt of court	22	3	6
Taggart, Daniel;	Contempt of court	19	3	6
Taylor, William J.;	Contempt of court	20		4
Therrien, Paul J.;	Grand larceny	19	2	
Tozer, Steven;	Contempt of court	19		2

Name	Crime	Age	Time Served Wks.	Days
Tucker, William G.;	Poss. of drugs	23		2
Vandelas, Tamsen R.;	Selling controlled drug, Poss. of same	25		1
Van Hoy, James A.;	Contempt of court	21		1
Van Hoy, James A.;	Contempt of court	21		1
Varney, Roger O.;	Bigamy	21	3	6
Varney, Roger O.;	Fugitive from justice	22	4	1
Webber, Reginald A.;	Burglary	19	7	3
Webster, Charles;	Drunk	58		1
Welch, Jannette E.;	Simple Assault, Falsefying age to pro. alco.	19		3
Weisberg, David S.;	Contempt of court	21		1
Weisberg, David S.;	Contempt of court	21		1
Wescott, Morris Jr.;	Capias (non-support)	23		2
White, David A.;	Contempt of court	20		1
Williams, George H.;	Transient	56		1
Wilson, Herbert A.;	Contempt of court	22		1
Wilson, Michael B.;	Burglary	25	4	3
Wollenzien, Patrick;	A.W.O.L.	19		2
Wright, Emily;	Malicious damage, disorderly person	18		1

GRAFTON COUNTY

In Account with the Clerk of Superior Court

January Term, 1969

Charges to County

1. Permanent Records		$
2. Allowance for Clerk and Clerical Hire		6,795.48
3. Miscellaneous Cash Disbursements		8.50
Total Charges		$6,803.98

Credits to County

1. Fees:		
Transfers to Supreme Court	$ 287.25	
Entries 234	1,170.00	
All other fees	1,109.40	
Total Fees		$2,566.65
2. Fines and Costs		1,518.00
3. Allowance for Clerk & Clerical Hire		2,719.33
Total Credits		$6,803.98

Examined and Allowed

Dated April 30, 1969

MARTIN F. LOUGHLIN
Presiding Justice

GRAFTON COUNTY

In Account with the Clerk of Superior Court

April Term, 1969

Charges to County

1. Permanent Records		$
2. Allowance for Clerk & Clerical Hire		7,332.89
3. Miscellaneous Cash Disbursements		5.48
Total Charges		$7,338.37

Credits to County

1. Fees:		
Naturalization	$ 15.00	
Transfers to Supreme Court	106.10	
Entries 223	1,115.00	
All other fees	1,152.22	
Total Fees		$2,388.32
2. Fines and Costs		6,015.00
3. Allowance for Clerk & Clerical Hire (Excess of income over expenses		- 1,245.45
4. Miscellaneous County Credits		180.50
Total Credits		$7,338.37

Examined and Allowed

Dated August 29, 1969

MARTIN F. LOUGHLIN
Presiding Justice

GRAFTON COUNTY

In Account with the Clerk of Superior Court

September Term, 1969

Charges to County

1. Permanent Records		$
2. Allowance for Clerk and Clerical Hire		7,445.00
3. Miscellaneous Cash Disbursements		203.00
Total Charges		$7,648.00

Credits to County

1. Fees:		
Naturalization	$ 37.50	
Transfers to Supreme Court	54.94	
Entries 292	1,460.00	
All other fees	1,147.10	
Total Fees		$2,699.54
2. Fines and Costs		1,625.00
3. Allowance for Clerk & Clerical Hire		3,197.89
4. Miscellaneous County Credits		125.57
Total Credits		$7,648.00

Examined and Allowed

Dated December 31, 1969

GEORGE R. GRANT, JR.
Presiding Justice

A true Copy:

Attest: William E. Lovejoy
Clerk

REPORT OF THE GRAFTON COUNTY ATTORNEY
For the Year 1969

To the Commissioners of Grafton County:

Herein is the first annual report of the activities of the office of the Grafton County Attorney for the year 1969.

This office disposed of 99 felonies, 81 misdemeanors, and 26 petitions under the Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act. This office represented one deputy sheriff who was a party defendant in a civil case, and that case was successfully terminated.

As a result of student activities at Dartmouth College, this office processed and disposed of 54 criminal contempt cases, this being one of the few times such cases ever arose in the New Hampshire Courts.

There were additional miscellaneous activities that took your County Attorney to almost all parts of the county in the pursuit of the duties of the office, and more specifically, to assist law enforcement departments.

As other County Attorneys may have reported to you, the duties of the office are increasing both in number and in scope. It is not too soon to consider that the office shall require the services of a full time attorney. This will be necessary because the field of law enforcement has been rapidly changing in the past decade, and up until now it has been impossible to spend much time with law enforcement departments.

Lastly, I would be remiss if I failed to report to you that this office received full and complete cooperation from all law enforcement departments and especially from the office of the Grafton County Sheriff. Much of the work of these departments is reflected in the number of convictions in the above stated felonies and misdemeanors.

Respectfully submitted,

N. GEORGE PAPADEMAS
Grafton County Attorney

SHERIFF'S REPORT

To the County Commissioners of Grafton County:

I submit herewith the following report as Sheriff of Grafton County for the year ended December 31, 1969.

JANUARY TERM AT LEBANON

Herbert W. Ash, Sheriff

EXPENSES: (From Dec. 11, 1968 to Feb. 5, 1969).

Telephone	$41.04	
Postage	24.00	
Appointment forms	24.20	
Summons books	22.85	
Office supplies	15.00	
Hanover Inn	16.00	
Paid Minister-Opening of Court	10.00	
Telegram-re: radio	6.45	
Meals, including prisoner meals	224.00	
Clay's News Stand, log books	24.00	
Cuff keys	3.34	
		$410.88

EXPENSES: (From Feb. 6 to Mar. 18, 1969).

Telephone	$22.56	
Postage	18.00	
Office supplies	10.00	
Badges	32.76	
Matron assistance	20.00	
Meals, including prisoner meals	265.00	
		$ 368.32

Milo Cheney, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:

18 days @ $22.00	$396.00	
Travel	162.00	
Meals	27.00	
		$ 585.00

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
9 days @ $22.00	$198.00	
Travel	110.20	
Meals	21.50	
		$ 329.70
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	29.40	
Meals	4.50	
		$ 99.90

John A. Roden, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
5 days @ $22.00	$110.00	
Travel	45.00	
Meals	7.50	
		$ 162.50
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
5 days @ $22.00	$110.00	
Travel	47.00	
Meals	8.00	
		$ 165.00

Frank C. Socci, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00	$ 22.00	
Travel	18.00	
Meals	1.25	
		$ 41.25

Robert K. Turner, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
5 days @ $22.00	$110.00	
Travel	7.00	
Meals	10.00	
		$ 127.00

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
10 days @ $22.00	$220.00	
Travel	56.00	
Meals	6.00	
		$ 282.00

Wallace C. Tucker, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
6 days @ $22.00	$132.00	
Travel	94.00	
Meals	4.35	
Assistance	40.00	
		$ 270.35

Harold Morse, Jr., Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
17 days @ $22.00	$374.00	
Travel	3.20	
Meals	25.75	
		$ 402.95
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
8 days @ $22.00	$176.00	
Travel	59.80	
Meals	11.75	
Assistance	15.00	
Feeding prisoner	1.50	
		$ 264.05

David Lang, Jr., Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00	$ 22.00	
Meals	1.50	
		$ 23.50

Theodore R. Gardner, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
17 days @ $22.00	$374.00	
Travel	221.00	
Meals	22.50	
		$ 617.50
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
9 days @ $22.00	$198.00	
Travel	71.40	
Meals	1.00	
Fees, Petition & Order	6.20	
Assistance	50.00	
Telephone	6.12	
		$ 332.72

Richard M. Knapp, Jr., Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
16 days @ $22.00	$352.00	
Travel	176.00	
Meals	28.50	
		$ 556.50
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
19 days @ $22.00	$418.00	
Travel	182.00	
Meals	17.00	
Feeding prisoners	2.00	
		$ 619.00

Stuart H. Currier, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
13 days @ $22.00	$286.00	
Travel	136.30	
Meals	7.55	
		$ 429.85

Dana F. Tyler, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	28.40	
		$ 94.40

Completes January Term

APRIL TERM AT PLYMOUTH

Herbert W. Ash, Sheriff

EXPENSES: (From March 19 to April 22, 1969).		
Telephone	$ 23.66	
Postage	12.00	
Office supplies	15.00	
Photographs: State v. McMath & Philbrick	20.00	
Film	2.00	
State v. Bartlett, gun repair	4.00	
Tear gas and holsters	42.42	
Paid Minister, opening of Court	10.00	
Tires for Cruiser	33.52	
Meals, including prisoner meals	151.87	
		$ 314.47

EXPENSES: (From Apr. 23 to June 24, 1969)		
Telephone	$ 15.52	
Postage	24.00	
Office supplies	19.00	
Search & Seizure Bulletin	17.00	
Tires for Cruiser (#22417)	32.40	
Films, E.B. Mann & Co.	8.55	
Printing, bill heads and envelopes	17.55	
Meals, including prisoner meals	265.00	
		$ 414.59

EXPENSES: (From June 25 to July 26, 1969)		
Telephone	$ 33.40	
Postage	12.00	
Office supplies	12.00	
Meals, including prisoner meals	128.00	
		$ 185.40

EXPENSES: (From July 27 to Aug. 27, 1969)		
Telephone	$ 24.15	
Search Warrants	43.70	
Cruiser repair	32.15	
Postage	18.00	
Office supplies	10.00	
Meals, including prisoner meals	137.00	
		$ 265.00

John A. Roden, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
10 days @ $22.00	$220.00	
Travel	81.00	
Meals	16.50	
Assistance	11.00	
		$ 328.50

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
8½ days @ $22.00	$186.00	
Travel	23.60	
Meals	10.50	
Assistance	11.00	
		$ 231.10

Harold Morse, Jr., Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
22 days – $22.00	$484.00	
Travel	171.00	
Meals	55.15	
Printing	17.03	
		$ 727.18

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
9 days @ $22.00	$198.00	
Travel	66.10	
Meals	10.40	
Assistance	15.00	
		$ 289.50
5 days @ $22.00	$110.00	
Travel	11.50	
Meals	25.25	
		$ 146.75
15 days @ $22.00	$330.00	
Travel	115.00	
Meals	25.75	
Assistance	50.00	
		$ 520.75
4½ days @ $22.00	$ 99.00	
Travel	83.60	
Meals	21.00	
Assistance	44.00	
		$ 247.60

Donald A. Crate, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
5 days @ $22.00	$110.00	
Travel	18.20	
Meals	10.50	
		$ 138.70

Walter Samsel, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2 days @ $22.00	$ 44.00	
Travel	2.00	
Meals	2.75	
		$ 48.75

Kenneth Roberts, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2 days @ $22.00	$ 44.00	
Travel	2.00	
Meals	2.75	
		$ 48.75

John Smart, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
5½ days @ $22.00	$ 55.00	
Travel	10.00	
Meals	5.25	
		$ 70.25

Paul Ingersoll, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2 days @ $22.00	$ 44.00	
Travel	10.00	
Meals	5.25	
		$ 59.25
11½ days – $22.00	$253.00	
Travel	74.40	
Meals	20.00	
		$ 347.40

Albert Beaulieu, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
6 days @ $22.00	$132.00	
Meals	2.40	
		$ 134.40

Benjamin J. Thompson, Jr., Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2 days @ $22.00	$ 44.00	
Meals	6.00	
		$ 50.00

John Ashley, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1½ days @ $22.00	$ 33.00	
Meals	2.00	
		$ 35.00

Dorothy Gould, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Marion Young, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Milo Cheney, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
41 days @ $22.00	$902.00	
Travel	130.00	
Meals	82.00	
		$1,114.00
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
17½ days @ $22.00	$385.00	
Travel	97.40	
Meals	31.00	
Assistance	10.00	
		$ 523.40
24½ days @ $22.00	$539.00	
Travel	281.60	
Meals	46.25	
		$ 866.85
24 days @ $22.00	$528.00	
Travel	101.50	
Meals	37.25	
		$ 666.75

Robert K. Turner, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
5 days @ $22.00	$110.00	
Travel	42.00	
Meals	10.00	
		$ 162.00
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
13 days @ $22.00	$286.00	
Travel	32.60	
Meals	10.50	
		$ 329.10

Stuart H. Currier, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
17 days @ $22.00	$374.00	
Travel	53.50	
Meals	18.85	
		$ 446.35
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
44½ days @ $22.00	$979.00	
Travel	498.40	
Meals	52.75	
Assistance	20.00	
		$1,550.15

Richard M. Knapp, Jr., Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
42 days @ $22.00	$924.00	
Travel	411.00	
Meals	61.90	
		$1,396.90
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
27 days @ $22.00	$594.00	
Travel	523.40	
Meals	51.10	

Assistance	$ 30.00	
Feeding prisoners	46.81	
		$1,250.31

Wallace C. Tucker, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
1 day @ $22.00	$ 22.00	
Travel	10.00	
Meals	4.50	
		$ 36.50
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
36½ days @ $22.00	$803.00	
Travel	516.60	
Meals	50.31	
Assistance	40.00	
		$1,409.91

Theodore R. Gardner, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
41 days @ $22.00	$902.00	
Travel	484.00	
Meals	59.50	
		$1,445.50
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
14½ days @ $22.00	$319.00	
Travel	171.60	
Meals	13.00	
Assistance	30.00	
Service of subpoenas-fees	41.60	
Petition & Order -fees	6.40	
Telephone	23.54	
Capias-service	5.00	
		$ 610.14

Dana F. Tyler, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00	$ 22.00	
Travel	8.00	
		$ 30.00

Marie L. Jordan, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Raymond Holland, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	25.50	
Meals	6.00	
		$ 97.50

Rita L. Little, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
½ day @ $22.00	$ 11.00	
Travel	3.26	
		$ 14.26

Donald Lang, Jr., Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1½ days @ $22.00	$ 33.00	
Travel	7.60	
		$ 40.60

Anthony H. Ryan, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Ruby A. Garceau, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Francis G. Rock, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	73.50	
Meals	4.37	
		$ 143.87

Amanda Gray, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	25.00	
		$ 91.00

Allen MacNeil, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Dana F. Tyler, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
8½ days @ $22.00	$187.00	
Travel	46.20	
Meals	2.25	
		$ 235.45

Carlyle S. Gilbert, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2½ days @ $22.00	$ 55.00	
Travel	35.40	
Meals	2.75	
Assistance	10.00	
		$ 103.15

Jane Gosselin, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Golda Collins, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

John Smart, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
9½ days @ $22.00	$209.00	
Travel	30.00	
Meals	16.00	
		$ 255.00

Harold W. Cummins, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	11.80	
Meals	2.00	
		$ 79.80

Lawrence J. Shea, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	55.50	
Meals	4.71	
		$ 125.81

Completes April Term

SEPTEMBER TERM AT WOODSVILLE

Herbert W. Ash, Sheriff

EXPENSES: (From Aug. 28 to Oct. 23, 1969).

Telephone	$ 47.70	
Green Mt. Communications, repairs on Cannon		
July	55.00	
Sept.	60.00	
Clifford-Nicol, Complaints	29.65	
Clifford-Nicol, Letterheads	16.70	
Clifford-Nicol, Investigation forms	28.25	
Lasher Photo	2.65	
Guinan Dugout, Equipment	4.50	
Equity Publishing Corp., RSA Supp.	25.00	
#M-1 year service	54.00	
Cruiser repair	49.05	
Postage	24.00	
Office supplies	15.00	
Meals	225.00	
Feeding prisoners	20.00	
		$ 656.50

EXPENSES: (From Oct. 24 to Dec. 3, 1969).

Telephone	$ 42.25	
Postage	18.00	
Office supplies	12.00	
Lasher-Currier, Inc.	55.95	
Central Equipment Co.	50.10	
Central Equipment Co.	107.01	
Deming Chevrolet	3.85	
Meals, including prisoner meals	160.00	
		$ 449.16

Harold Morse, Jr., Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:

19 days @ $22.00	$418.00	
Travel	174.00	
Meals	45.75	
		$ 637.75

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
7½ days @ $22.00	$165.00	
Travel	78.80	
Meals	6.25	
		$ 250.05
2 days @ $22.00	$ 44.00	
Travel	41.50	
		$ 85.50
24 days @ $22.00	$528.00	
Travel	206.00	
Meals	48.50	
		$ 782.50

Harold Cummins, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00	$ 22.00	
Travel	11.00	
Meals	4.50	
		$ 37.50

Francis G. Rock, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00	$ 22.00	
Travel	8.80	
Meals	3.00	
		$ 33.80

Milo Cheney, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
30 days @ $22.00	$660.00	
Travel	222.80	
Meals	56.00	
		$ 938.80

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
14½ days @ $22.00	$319.00	
Travel	115.30	
Meals	13.00	
		$ 447.30
16½ days @ $22.00	$363.00	
Travel	120.33	
Meals	23.00	
		$ 506.33
18½ days @ $22.00	$407.00	
Travel	84.00	
Meals	37.00	
		$ 528.00

Stanley W. Hubbard, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
16 days @ $22.00	$352.00	
Travel	115.70	
Meals	23.40	
		$ 491.10
1 day @ $22.00	$ 22.00	
Travel	16.80	
Meals	1.37	
		$ 40.17

Richard M. Knapp, Jr., Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
27 days @ $22.00	$594.00	
Travel	62.00	
Meals	52.00	
		$ 708.00
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
16½ days @ $22.00	$363.00	
Travel	230.00	
Meals	23.00	
Assistance	22.00	
		$ 638.00

Stuart H. Currier, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
3½ days @ $22.00	$ 77.00	
Travel	42.10	
Meals	5.20	
		$ 124.30
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
48 days @ $22.00	$1,051.00	
Travel	371.90	
Meals	34.00	
		$1,478.90

Paul H. Ingersoll, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1½ days @ $22.00	$ 33.00	
Travel	23.00	
		$ 56.00
1½ days @ $22.00	$ 33.00	
Travel	27.10	
		$ 60.10

Theodore R. Gardner, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
30 days @ $22.00	$660.00	
Travel	120.00	
Meals	45.00	
		$ 825.00
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
9 days @ $22.00	$198.00	
Travel	114.70	
Meals	2.00	
Telephone	8.66	
Assistance	30.00	
Petition & Order, fees	6.20	
		$ 359.56

Dana F. Tyler, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2 days @ $22.00	$ 44.00	
Travel	25.00	
Meals	6.00	
Assistance	15.00	
		$ 90.00

John Smart, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2 days @ $22.00	$ 44.00	
Travel	10.00	
Assistance	10.00	
		$ 64.00

Albert Beaulieu, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1 day @ $22.00		$ 22.00

Amanda Gray, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3 days @ $22.00	$ 66.00	
Travel	14.00	
		$ 80.00

David B. Ash, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
12 days @ $22.00	$264.00	
Travel	30.40	
Meals	15.00	
		$ 309.40

Wallace C. Tucker, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
21 days @ $22.00	$462.00	
Travel	222.80	
Meals	31.17	

Assistance	$ 50.00	
		$ 765.97

John A. Roden, Deputy Sheriff

COURT ATTENDANCE:		
9 days – $22.00	$198.00	
Travel	2.00	
Meals	13.50	
Assistance	5.00	
		$ 218.50
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
3½ days @ $22.00	$ 77.00	
Travel	16.40	
Meals	4.50	
Petition & Orders	36.00	
Transferring prisoner	6.00	
Assistance	20.00	
		$ 159.90

Dana F. Tyler, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
2½ days @ $22.00	$ 55.00	
Travel	29.20	
Meals	4.00	
		$ 88.20

David Lang, Jr., Sp. Deputy Sheriff

1½ days @ $22.00	$ 33.00	
Travel	13.60	
Meals	3.00	
		$ 49.60

Francis G. Rock, Sp. Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
1½ days @ $22.00	$ 33.00	
Travel	11.00	

Meals	$ 2.00	
		$ 46.00

Robert K. Turner, Deputy Sheriff

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION:		
16 days @ $22.00	$352.00	
Travel	52.00	
		$ 404.80

Completes September Term.

OTHER EXPENSES: (Paid from County Commissioners' Office)

Herbert W. Ash, Clerk hire	$1,800.00	
Equity Publishing Co., statutes	25.00	
Jesseman's Garage, repairs	85.60	
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies	8.55	
Mobil Oil Corp., gas and supplies	1,123.60	
New England Telephone, service	1,853.88	
Woolson & Clough, car insurance	223.30	
Harrison Ins. Agency, Bonds	858.00	
Motorola Electronics, Inc., install radio equipment	875.00	
LeMay Sales, Inc., supplies	14.40	
Grossman's, supplies	2.08	
3M Business Products, equipment	483.20	
Strafford County, services	60.00	
Green Mt. Communications, radio installation	59.50	
Treasurer, State of N.H., radio	27.95	
Dept. of Safety, radio repair	31.00	
Francis E. O'Donnell, radio install.	20.00	
		$7,551.06
GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES		$44,652.03

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT W. ASH
Sheriff

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

To the Commissioners of Grafton County
Woodsville, N.H.

Dear Sirs:

Since my transfer here to Woodsville in March 1969 I can make the following report on my duties as Catholic Chaplain to the Grafton County Complex.

During this time I have made weekly visits to the people of the Home and Hospital. Each first Friday of the month the Sacrament of the Eucharist has been administered to all the Catholic patients. In December of 1969 the Sacrifice of the Mass was said for the patients of the Hospital as well as for the residents of the Home. It is our desire to continue this service for the patients each month. In the visits to all patients irregardless of religion, an attempt was made to cheer them up and help them in any way possible.

At the same time, I was called to the House of Correction and Jail and held consultations with a number of boys and men held there. For a period of several months these were weekly visits to give consolation and encouragement.

The Sacrament of the sick was given twice during the latter part of 1969.

In conclusion I would like to thank all those people who in any way helped to make my duties beneficial.

Sincerely in Christ,

REV. EDWARD ZALEWSKI
Catholic Chaplain

PROTESTANT CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

To the Commissioners of Grafton County:

It is my privilege to submit this report as Protestant Chaplain to the Grafton County Home. Again it has been my pleasure to serve in Christ's name the residents of the Home, Hospital, Jail and House of Correction.

The regular chapel services have continued on the first and third Sundays of each month. The worship services are characterized by variety, with the desire that a meaningful experience in God's presence be felt by those attending. Of course, the singing of the old Gospel hymns is an indispensable part of every service. We appreciate the enthusiastic participation of the men and women in the services.

I have tried to make devotional materials and religious and inspirational literature available from time to time for the Protestant residents.

My family and I appreciated being able to attend the annual Christmas party for the residents this year. Arrangements also were made to transport a good number of the residents down to the Christmas program of the Community United Methodist Church in North Haverhill. We encourage the interest of the churches in the area to provide activities of an uncomplicated nature for the Home, especially in the "slower" seasons of the year.

I have attempted to continue a program of pastoral visitation to the Hospital and Home. Upon request, I have also been involved in counseling in the Jail and House of Correction.

Again, I express appreciation to Mr. Siegmund, Mrs. Little, the staff and turnkeys for their friendly cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

MARVIN T. MILBURY
Protestant Chaplain

REPORT FOR GRAFTON COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE

Extension Service constantly strives to discover the most urgent needs of the people of Grafton County. It works to serve these needs through its many educational programs in Agriculture, Home Economics, 4-H Youth Development, Forestry and Community Resource Development.

The governing body for Grafton County Cooperative Extension Service is a 13 member Council made up of elected representatives from the various lines of work plus a representative from the County Delegation. The Council Chairman for 1969 was William Clark of Orford. Delegation member was Phil Bennett of Woodsville.

Extension Agents are available to work with all people of the County. They are limited only by time available.

1969 Staff Members

Richard R. Rutherford	Agricultural Agent and Community Resource Dev. Agent
Kevin B. Kennedy (works in 3 counties)	Area Dairy Agent
Muriel B. Currier	Home Economist
Edwina P. Stewart	Home Economist
Richard F. Fabrizio	4-H Youth Development Agent
Roxann Chamberlin	4-H Youth Development Agent
Leslie B. Sargent	County Forester
Milan Miller	Assistant County Forester

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR GRAFTON COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE

For the Year Ending December 31, 1969

Balance on Hand January 1, 1969		$ 3,042.48
Legislative Appropriation for year - 1969		39,000.00
State Assistance - Area Agents position (Supplies, Tel. Sec. Time)		357.00
Other income - (Reimbursed Tel. Calls, Dividend, Sus. refund, reimbursed R.C.D. supplies, reimbursed Home Ec. supplies) (From U.N.H.) (gift for equipment)		800.92
		$ 43,200.40
EXPENSES		
Salaries – Agents	$17,875.00	
Travel – Agents	8,567.28	
Salaries – Secretaries	7,880.42	
Transportation of things	.25	
Communication Services	2,257.49	
Rents	61.94	
Printing	90.00	
Supplies	1,736.94	
Equipment	778.57	
Repairs to Equipment	157.50	
Taxes	397.16	
Miscellaneous	183.54	
Council – Travel	80.64	
		$ 40,066.73
Balance on Hand December 31, 1969		$ 3,133.67

Respectfully Submitted,

LYLE M. FRAZER
Treasurer

RICHARD R. RUTHERFORD
County Agriculture Agent

REPORT OF COUNTY PHYSICIAN

To the Commissioners of Grafton County:

I hereby submit my report for 1969:

This has been a very busy year with a capacity load, a waiting list of 5-8 most of the year and the new hospital wing starting to take shape and eventually moving into it in early November.

The patient load has been as follows:

Patients in Hospital Jan. 1, 1969	31
Daily average Jan. - Nov.	31.5
Daily average Nov. 1 - Jan.	49.7
Patients in Hospital Jan. 1, 1970	56

No new purchases were made in the old hospital because of the many renovations in the wing—new bath lifts, tubs, showers, a physical therapy unit and others.

This new wing with its adequate storage facilities relieved the crowded situation in the old hospital both as regards to patients and storage facilities.

Kitchen renovations and new serving techniques have improved the food and meals for the patients. The new dining-recreation area has made meal time much pleasanter.

During the bad storm the last week in December when electricity was off the County used its facilities to house some of the older people in the area who were without heat and lights.

Obstetrics and major surgical cases are still done in nearby General hospitals under policies laid down by the State Board of Health.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRUS D. EASTMAN, M.D.

HOSPITAL

Patients in the Hospital Jan. 1, 1969		31
Total Patient Days		
Jan. 1st – Nov. 1st		9,662
Nov. 1st – Jan. 1st, 1970		3,084
Daily Average Jan. 1st – Nov. 1st		31.5
Daily Average Nov. 1st – Jan. 1st, 1970		49.7
Admissions		59
Discharges		20
Deaths	Hospital	17
	Resident	1
Patients in Hospital Jan. 1st, 1970		53

Out Patient Data:	
Doctor's Visits	2,054
Special Medications	1,051
Daily medications to Residents	18,287

DEATHS IN 1969

Date	No.	Name	Age Yrs.	Mo.	Wks.	Days	Cause of Death
January							
29	1	Monroe, Annie	78	7	3	1	Carcinoma of breast with numerous metastases.
February							
6	2	Cochrane, Ida	91	8	3	4	Chronic Nephritis.
April							
5	3	McKenna, Janet	72	9	4	1	Hypostatic pneumonia—Acute Gall-bladder infection.
26	4	Parker, Minnie L.	80	10	4	1	Arterio-Sclerotic Heart Disease Gen. Arterio-Sclerosis.
June							
4	5	Powers, John	86	8	2	5	Arterio-Sclerotic Heart Disease Hypertension—Emphysema (Severe).
July							
21	6	Simpson, Lillian A.	82	7	7		Coronary embolus—Arterio-Sclerotic heart disease—Chronic Brain Syndrome.
August							
22	7	Bellows, Carie	87	9		4	Arterio-Sclerotic Heart Disease—Gen. Arterio-Sclerosis.
29	8*	Miles, Flora	67	5	3	6	Coronary embolus—Arterio-Sclerotic heart disease

*Almshouse

Date	No.	Name	Age Yrs.	Mo.	Wks.	Days	Cause of Death
September							
8	9	Miner, Carl	90	9	1	1	Hypostatic pneumonia–Arterio-Sclerotic heart disease.
November							
14	10	Manley, Henry	86	7	4		Carcinoma of Rectum.
25	11	Sabean, Susie	75	1	1	5	Carcinoma of Vagina with liver metastases.
28	12	Finn, Enid	59	5	1	1	Coronary embolus–Pulmonary fibrosis with emphysema.
December							
6	13	Leavitt, John	74	1	3	4	Hypostatic pneumonia–Chronic nephritis.
10	14	Sawyer, Margaret	55	8	3	2	Carcinoma of transverse colon with metastases to spine.
14	15	Russell, Byron	74	6	3	5	Carcinoma of Prostate–Hypostatic pneumonia.
20	16	Church, Olive	74	6	3	5	Cerebral hemorrhage
21	17	Fulton, Bessie	87	8	1	4	Hypostatic pneumonia–Cerebral hemorrhage.
26	18	Stevens, Doris	66	9	2	1	Carcinoma of breast with numerous metastases.

SUMMARY OF FARM ACCOUNTS FOR GRAFTON COUNTY FARM FOR 1969

Capital Investment	1968	1969
Value of land & buildings	$ 90,200.00	$ 95,700.00
Livestock inventory	52,940.00	53,450.00
Machinery & equipment	32,922.34	28,853.00
Feed & supplies inventory	21,970.46	21,487.00
	$198,032.80	$199,490.00
		198,032.80
Increase for year		$ 1,457.20

Summary of Receipts

	Cash	Institution	Total
Milk	$59,386.37	$ 4,994.66	$64,381.03
Produce	51.00	2,328.74	2,379.74
Beef & veal		4,235.60	4,235.60
Pork		3,609.25	3,609.25
Livestock	9,608.14		9,608.14
Other Income	916.85		916.85
	$69,962.36	$15,168.25	$85,130.61
Inventory Increase			1,457.20
			$86,587.81

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES

Supervision	$ 300.00	
Labor – Regular	22,624.30	
Labor – House of Correction	4,200.00	
Truck & Tractor expense incl. farm machinery	4,999.82	
Taxes	4,510.35	
Insurance	1,336.16	
Light & power	1,300.00	
Feed	27,124.08	
Supplies	2,251.41	
Repairs	1,366.32	
Equipment	1,834.81	
Fertilizer	3,921.09	
Veterinary	1,405.10	
Milk Testing	590.36	
Breeding Service	747.00	
Weed Control	291.85	
Registering cattle	227.00	
Bedding	629.50	
Seeds	697.35	
Fuel-replair-farm houses	3,294.21	
Miscellaneous	712.57	
Total expenses		$ 84,363.28
Total receipts plus inventory increase		86,587.81
Operating Profit		$ 2,224.53

WILLIAM SIEGMUND
Superintendent

RICHARD R. RUTHERFORD
County Agricultural Agent

NOTES

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